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Agent, Napanee.

COUNTY NEWS.

Napanee Mills.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—The quiet of our little village has been disturbed lately by the inmates and frequenters of one of the tenement houses on what is known as the Devil's E'bow, and the devil himself has been there lately having full sway. The inmates are a man, his wife, mother and a young married woman who has parted from her husband. The house was visited Sunday by three Deseronto roughs and the night was made hideous by these drunken brawlers, and on Monday morning the exposition of the persons of these parties was something that should not be tolerated for one moment. Surely the owner of the house cares something for the reputation of the place and will not allow such things to continue to disgrace a respectable community.

Yarker.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Work has commenced on the station here, which is much needed to accommodate the increasing travel and freight traffic. Colebrook station is completed and there is no movement to open a road, except that one of the directors in an underhand way is prompting the Colebrookers to demand a road from the company. Mr. Rathbun ought to give him the grand bounce, as he has been the main cause of all the trouble between Colebrook, Yarker and the Company about this station, to gratify some private malice he has against some one in Yarker and it cuts him had to see a station built at Yarker.

—The parties who had the row at Centreville fair came to a settlement before bringing it into court, by the defendant paying costs.

—The band serenaded the village Saturday evening. There is a marked improvement in their playing.

—The double dwelling house built by Mr. J. A. Shibley was occupied as soon as completed. R. Marcellies occupies one part. It is something new for him to build fires and carry water. Such is life. R. Freeman occupies the other end. He has retired from his farm on account of failing health. Robert Ashley has rented his farm and moved onto it.

Selby.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—W. E. Hazard, Esq., has moved into his lately purchased dwelling, the former M. E. parsonage.

—Mr. Warren Hunt will return to Selby to reside in a few days.

—Mr. Jas. Gouin is erecting a new house north of the village. He is now absent in the northern townships, hunting and fishing.

—Mr. Jas. Wells and Mr. Alva Hazard moved last week to Huron Co., Michigan. Mr. R. J. Hazard moved more than a year ago. They have all purchased land there and expect to reside in that place permanently.

—The Council have taken possession of the brick church, which is henceforth the Town Hall.

—His Honor Judge Wilkison was out last Monday at the instance of the Reformers of Richmond to revise the voters' list. They made a gain of 15.

—Rev. R. N. Adams preached in the Methodist church last Sabbath morning.

—A young man of our village took unto himself a "better half" last Thursday evening, and to judge from appearances, more will follow his example ere long.

Erinsville.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

I thought I would inform you as to what is going on in our little village, as the old maid has dropped the quill.

—The farmers are busy getting their fall ploughing done and in other ways preparing for the winter.

—Cupid has been at work, and the first result of his labors in this vicinity was the capture of

SYMINGTON'S OPERA HALL,
NAPANEE, ONT.,
THOS. SYMINGTON, Proprietor
ENGAGEMENTS:
SATURDAY, Oct. 25.—Baker and Farren's Comedy Co. in "Emigrants."

A. O. U. W.

Napanee Lodge No. 194,
Ancient Order of United Workmen meets on the first and third TUESDAYS of every Month, in the Orange Hall, over J. J. Perry's Drug Store, Dundas Street, Napanee.
J. L. BOYES, Rec. 21-ly Dr. LEONARD, M.W.

NAPANEE, TAMWORTH & QUEBEC RAILWAY.

NAPANEE VALLEY LINE.

Special Time Table No 1.

In Effect August 4, 1884, 5 A. M.
EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.				
STATIONS.	No. 1. A.M.	No. 3. P.M.	No. 5. P.M.	
Napanee.....	Leave 5 00	12 30	5 00	
Napanee Mills.....	" 5 15	12 45	5 15	
Newburgh.....	" 5 20	12 55	5 25	
Thompson's Mills*.....	" 5 25	1 05	5 35	
Camden East.....	" 5 27	1 10	5 40	
Yarker.....	" 5 37	1 20	5 50	
Galbraith Road*.....	" 5 45		5 59	
Moscow.....	" 6 00		6 17	
Mudlake Bridge*.....	" 6 20		6 39	
Enterprise.....	" 6 30		6 50	
Wilson's Crossing*.....	" 6 35		7 01	
Tamworth.....	Arrive 7 00		7 27	

GOING SOUTH.				
STATIONS.	No. 2. A.M.	No. 4. P.M.	No. 6. P.M.	
Tamworth.....	Leave 7 30		7 40	
Wilson's Crossing*.....	" 7 55		8 06	
Enterprise.....	" 8 00		8 20	
Mudlake Bridge*.....	" 8 10		8 31	
Moscow.....	" 8 30		8 55	
Galbraith Road*.....	" 8 45		9 13	
Yarker.....	" 8 53	4 05	9 25	
Camden East.....	" 9 03	4 15	9 35	
Thompson's Mills*.....	" 9 05	4 20	9 40	
Newburgh.....	" 9 10	4 25	9 50	
Napanee Mills.....	" 9 15	4 30	10 00	
Napanee.....	Arrive 9 30	4 40	10 20	

*Stop only when passengers at or for.

Commencing Saturday, Aug. 30th, and until further notice, Saturday excursion tickets will be issued from any station on the line at one fare for the return trip. Tickets good to go and return by any regular train on date of issue only.

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Asst. Gen. Mgr. Superintendent. Gen. Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DON'T FORGET
—THAT—
Herring's 2-Mould-board Gang-Plough

is ahead of any other gang-plow sold in these parts. We guarantee it superior.

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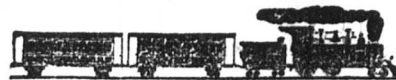
If not proved, on trial, to be the best plow you ever handled, return it.

We know by thorough tests that the above plows are beyond question the easiest working plows ever introduced in these counties.

The 2-Mouldboard Gang and New Dominion Single Plow sell at sight.

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TICKET AGENCY!

Tickets sold to all parts of the world by the most direct routes, at lowest fares; also return and excursion tickets. Baggage checked through to destination.

Trains leave Napanee as follows:

—GOING WEST—

Afternoon Express.....	4.54 P. M.
Morning ".....	3.28 A. M.
Fast ".....	6.07 A. M.
Mixed ".....	8.37 A. M.

—GOING EAST—

Noon Express.....	12.55 P. M.
Midnight ".....	12.53 A. M.
Mixed ".....	11.00 P. M.

No mixed east Saturday nights. No express trains east or west Sunday afternoons. No fast express west Monday mornings. Second-class tickets not good on fast express.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GIRL WANTED.—Apply at Cornell House, Chas. Cornell. 49-11

WANTED.—TWENTY GIRLS, TO work in the Napanee Brush Factory. Apply at the office. 47-11

FOR SALE.—100 Cattle, Oxen, Steers, etc., by J. W. DENISON, Selby road, near Napanee. 48-21

WANTED.—A young man of one or two years, experience in carriage-making and wood work, under instructions. WEBSTER & BOYES.

TO LET.—Store in new Cartwright block, Dundas-st. Apply to NORMAN W. SCOTT or R. V. PERRY. 40

FOR SALE.—Two or three good farms, situated within a few miles of Napanee. In excellent state of cultivation and good buildings. For full particulars apply to S. GIBSON, Barrister, Napanee.

FOR SALE OR TO EXCHANGE FOR FARM PROPERTY.—The Napanee Opera House and the Eastern Store in the Opera House block. Located on best position on Dundas street. For particulars apply to THOMAS SYMINGTON, proprietor. 45

FARM FOR SALE.—Front part of Lot No. 17, 2nd concession of Richmond, containing 44 acres, within a mile of Napanee and on the leading road to Deseronto. A fine property. Will be sold at a bargain. For full information apply to JOHN ENGLISH, Solicitor, Napanee. 43-11

FOR SALE.—South half of lot No. 25 in the 5th concession of Hinchinbrooke, being 100 acres of timbered land. A great bargain for somebody as timbered land is coming up. For particulars apply to DAVID C. WAGER. Odessa P.O. 36-11

BUILDING FOR SALE OR TO LET.—The premises formerly occupied by the Napanee Brush Co., situated between Hill and Water streets, suitable for manufacturing of any kind. Terms easy. For full particulars apply to NELSON GERMAN, on the premises adjoining. 24-4 mos.

SALE OF OLD BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE—On Thursday, Nov. 6th. The above will be offered for sale by Public Auction at 2 o'clock p.m., on the premises of S. Section, No. 17, Ernestown, One and a-half miles east of Violet. A. M. SCOUTEN, Ernestown, Oct 21st, 1884. 49-211 Sec. Treas.

STOLEN, FROM THE PREMISES OF F. FITZMARTIN, Newburgh road, on Oct. 8, a fox-colored horse with one white spot on forehead and two on the back, and one white hind leg. The horse is 14-1-2 hands high and 5 years old; \$49 reward for the recovery of the horse, rig and thieves and \$20 for the horse and rig alone. Address, CHIEF CONSTABLE ALLEN or F. FITZMARTIN. 48-6

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT.—For sale or for several years or to let for a term of years. Situated three miles east of Napanee on the Kingston road; contains about 175 acres; particularly suitable for grain or dairy purposes. Excellent buildings, good fences, plenty of water. Privilege of ploughing and cultivating this fall. Possession given first of January. C. R. MILLER. Napanee, July 2nd, 1884. 34-3 mos.

FARM FOR SALE.—As good a farm as there is in the township—west half of lot 24 in the 7th concession of Hinchinbrooke, containing 100 acres, being 25 acres under crop and 10 acres chopped that have never been cultivated. There is a new frame house 18x24 ft. and frame barn 24x36 ft.; quite a number of nice young fruit trees and a well that never fails between the house and barn; easy terms in payments. For further particulars apply to DAVID C. WAGER. Odessa P.O. 36-11

A JUMBO BARGAIN.—Farm for sale. North half of Lot No. 45 in the 4th concession of the township of Camden, at the village of Moscow, and only half a mile from station on the N. T. & Q. Railway, containing about 100 acres, with about 80 acres fit for the plough and 20 acres pasture and wood land. This is a very desirable farm, having all the advantages of daily stage and mail, post and telegraph offices, good school, good and abundant water, good orchard, well fenced, small frame house with shed house attached, splendid frame barn 36x48 with shed attached, 52x60, and good horse and cattle stable. The land is under excellent cultivation and contains all the good qualities of a Huffman street farm, and is ready for crop in the spring. Good reasons given for selling. Apply to ZARA VANLUVEN, Moscow P.O.

Second-class tickets not good on fast express.

PARTIES GOING TO ANY POINT should purchase through tickets from
J. L. BOYES,
Ticket Agent, Napanee.
Office of the Great North-Western Tel. Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FARM TO RENT.—LOTS 17 AND 18, in the 5th Con. of Adolphustown. Address, R. H. BAKER, Deseronto. 49-4

FOR SALE.—At a bargain, a farm of 135 acres in the Township of Sidney, County of Hastings, good markets, Railway &c. Also for sale what is known as the Unger farm, about 185 acres situated near the village of Deseronto. Apply to W. H. STEVENSON, Executor. 49-4nd

FARM FOR SALE.

A FIRST-CLASS FARM FOR SALE, IN the County of Lennox, being a part of Lot No. 29, in the 7th concession of North Fredericksburgh and a part of No. 1 in 7th concession of Ernestown, three miles from Napanee, containing about 132 acres, being well fenced; good buildings; well watered by wells; large orchard. 41-3 mos. ABNER BROWN.

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SYMINGTON'S OPERA HOUSE.

—ONE NIGHT ONLY—

Saturday, October 25th, 1884

THE KINGS OF LAUGHTER,

BAKER & FARRON,

Producing their latest success, a Comedy Drama in four acts, entitled

"THE EMIGRANTS,"

Supported by a

Superb Company of Artists.

Seats on sale at J. J. Perry's drug store.

Tickets.—Reserved seats, 75 cents. 49-11

SALE OF GRAIN STOREHOUSE.

The Co-operative Warehouse

OF NAPANEE,

will be sold on the premises, by Public Auction

—ON—

Friday, 21st November Next,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The warehouse is 85,000 bushels capacity, built of stone with iron roof. It has a first-class elevator and blower and is convenient to ship by water or cars.

TERMS made known at time of sale.

By order of the Board.

JAMES DALY,

Manager.

Napanee, Oct. 18, 1884.

the winter. Cupid has been at work, and the first result of his labors in this vicinity was the capture of Mr. John Hunt, of Hungerford, by one of the fairest and most amiable maidens in that section, Miss Annie Gaffney. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Hogan on Monday last. The bride was richly attired in seal brown silk and looked lovely. About two hundred and fifty guests were present and beautiful gifts were numerous. They have the best wishes of a large circle of friends for their future felicity.

Mrs. Blewett and daughter have gone to New York. Libbie intends spending a year in the Convent of the Sacred Heart.

—Richard O'Neill left on Monday, 13th inst., for Michigan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lessard and daughter, of Flinton, were the guests of Mr. M. S. Murphy, on Sunday last.

—Miss Mary Hinch, of Tamworth, is the guest of her cousin, Miss O'Neill.

—R. J. Murphy has returned from Watertown. He is quite a Yankee.

—We are happy to state that Miss M. Murphy, jr., is recovering from her recent illness.

NIMROD.

Stella—Amherst Island.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Our fair is all over once more but last night one would have thought that the "Donnybrook Fair" was being held at Stella, where whisky, cudgels and oaths were all mixed up, two-thirds oaths and one-third fight. No sore heads but many sick stomachs to-day.

—We had the pleasure of seeing Mr. G. E. Staley, of Kingston, amongst the guests at the Tichborne to-night. I believe he is going to start a dancing class at Amherst Island for the fall and winter months, the first meeting to be held on Tuesday, Oct. 23, in the Town Hall, Stella, when a committee will be formed to conduct the meetings in proper order. We hope he may succeed.

—The next thing our farmers are going to institute at Stella is a ploughing match, for which \$10 has already been subscribed. This is something that is greatly needed here to give the young men an interest in ploughing, as there are too many who think the one who can turn over the most ground in a day is the best plougher going.

—It is certainly very gratifying to Mr. Wm. McDonald to know that the "Black Hawk" and his stock are the winners of so many prizes, and they are deserving of it, for he is a very pretty horse.

—What we want in this township is a good constable. The fruit and vegetables taken to our shows are devoured by a mob of young rascals before the owners can even get in to see if they have got prizes or not.

—We are sorry to hear that Mr. James S. Neilson is very sick. We hope he may soon be around tending to his business as usual.

—The Emerald correspondent says the "Belle of Stella" has not accepted the challenge of the "Amherst Belle." He or she need not get in a flurry about it. I do not doubt but the latter would come out ahead in a light wind, but I do know this, that the "Belle of Stella" can cross the bay when the other dare not.

—The great question now is, does the dairy or butter-making pay the farmer the best. Some say the one and some say the other, but the most experienced ones decide that the dairy is ahead.

—Mr. Hugh Wright has left us again for his home at Chalk River, on the C. P. R. He gives very glowing accounts of that great structure that is to reach from ocean to ocean.

—We were glad to see Mr. O'Beirne, of THE EXPRESS, a visitor among the many who were at our fair. It shows that Amherst Island is not such an isolated place after all and that our stock has a name all through the country.

QUIXOTE.

(The above arrived too late for last week.)

—Not much news this week but still a few items of interest to some.

—I have been informed that Mr. C. F. Howard carried off more prizes at our township show than any other and indeed, more than he was entitled to; out of eighteen entries he received nineteen prizes. He must have got one of mine.

—There were ten residents of Stella summoned to appear at the election trial to come off next month. One party summoned had it explained to him that the reason was, he had a pickle bottle hidden somewhere the day of the election, with something in it stronger than tea, but he is willing to swear it wasn't a pickle bottle but held a pint and a half, imperial measure.

—We had the pleasure of meeting D. W. Allison, M. P., on the Hero on Tuesday evening 18th inst.

—Mr. J. S. Neilson is improving slowly but surely.

—Notwithstanding the inclement weather Capt. Craig is always on hand with his little Hero.

—Barley only fifty cents per bushel and many Scotch Act men are beginning to have their doubts about the temperance question. DANIEL.

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Tamworth.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Mr. A. Jackson, photographer, has returned to Tamworth and opened up business in his old stand across the street from R. Penny's blacksmith shop, and he is now prepared to do first-class work of all kinds, and as he don't calculate to remain long all of those wanting first-class card or cabinet photos will please call early. Also enlarging and framing done to order. Call and see our samples.

Hay Bay.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball was played in North Fredericksburg on Saturday last between the White Oaks of Hay Bay and the Royals of North Fredericksburg, resulting in a victory for the former club. The following is the score:—

WHITE OAKS.		ROYALS.	
	R O		R O
D. Perry.....	4 3	C. Hawley.....	2 3
N. Port.....	2 5	L. Dafee.....	2 2
T. Hamby.....	3 3	A. Parks.....	0 5
B. Perry.....	3 4	A. Loyst.....	1 3
G. Parker.....	4 4	S. Spencer.....	3 2
F. Hamby.....	5 1	E. Wagar.....	3 2
A. McCabe.....	4 1	A. Dafee.....	2 4
W. Hamby.....	3 3	H. Galt.....	3 1
D. McCabe.....	3 3	W. Sharp.....	1 5

Score by innings:—

White Oaks—	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Royals—	1 0 8 5 3 2 0 2 10—31
	1 3 0 3 2 3 0 2 3—17

There was some fine playing done on both sides, considering the rough ground. The game was umpired by G. W. McCabe, whose fair and impartial decisions gave entire satisfaction. This is the first time these clubs ever met and the result puts another feather in the caps of the White Oaks.

Bath.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

THE BOOM IN REAL ESTATE.—Mr. Geo. Cook, of Parrot's Bay has purchased the residence of Mr. Isaac Asselstine on First Street. He will rebuild and beautify the premises at once, as it is his intention of taking immediate possession.

—Mr. M. H. Grass was in town on Tuesday, ostensibly for the purpose of securing a lot from Mr. C. L. Rogers, on Main Street, for his father, who is seeking retirement from business.

—Mr. Peter Clark Aitkens, of Collinsby, intends settling at Bath if he can get a lot to suit him. He has recently sold his farm to Mr. Marsh, the proprietor of Marsh's hotel on the Bath road.

—Mr. Joseph Dennee has retired into winter quarters with his son-in-law, Mr. John Murdoch, and will not purchase until next spring.

—Mr. John Morrow was in town on Tuesday and promised to make improvements in his property here.

—Mr. D. W. Ball will not build until next spring, preferring to board during the winter.

—Mr. Edwards will soon commence operations for his new summer boarding house.

—Mr. E. Burley and Mr. D. McBride have recently made permanent improvements in their property.

—The city fathers have consented to an 80-inch plank-walk for Main Street.

Enterprise.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Grain is sold here at market prices less the freight to Nananee.

—Frank VanLuven has resigned his position as station master here. Too much close confinement.

—Mrs. L. Wagar has made improvements in her property and intends settling here for the winter.

—Mr. W. Keech deserves credit for the tidy appearance he has given his house.

—What a surprise those gentlemen did give us. We did not expect them so soon. The next time they call we will have the gate on hinges.

—"Opposition is the life of trade." It will work with sewing machines as well as sugars. Re-

Petworth.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—J. Boyce, while sailing up the river to a portion of his farm, had a trolling line out. He soon had a bite which gave him a quick jerk, and he had to put forth all his strength to haul in the line, at the end of which was a large pike which he got safely in the boat. It weighed 13 lbs. Some sports would have given him whatever he asked for it but he thought he would have the pleasure of enjoying it himself.

—Miss Minnie Phalen has returned from her sojourn in the States. She says that she likes Canada best.

—Bid Cla ke is preparing to go back hunting; we may expect lots of deer.

—Mr. Lakin has commenced building a new barn. A pleasant time was spent at the raising, the string band being present to enliven the scene.

—Elias Garrison is making improvements by raising his house and building a cellar; he is also making an addition to the house, which will be comfortable when finished.

—Isaac Smith has re-modelled his house, which greatly adds to its appearance.

—William Kerr is enlarging his dwelling which he finds necessary to meet the requirements of his increasing family.

—Richard Lilley has nearly completed the improvements on his barn; when finished he will have a comfortable place.

Shannonville.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Mr. Henry Brown, brother-in-law of Miss Jackson of Nananee, has just returned from British Columbia, and expresses himself highly delighted with the prospects that province presents to the industrious working man and to the new settler desirous of securing a good home. Mr. Brown's present purpose is to return with his family in the spring and settle in that province.

—Mr. Lake, of Ernesttown, is getting material together to construct the weigh scales for his coal yard, and he intends to prosecute his business vigorously greatly to the advantage of the village and vicinity, as our coal supply has hitherto been drawn either from Belleville or Deseronto.

—Mr. W. L. Roberts, son-in-law of the Rev. Mr. Baker, of Deseronto, has just returned with his blooming young bride from a protracted bridal tour to New York, and after spending a day with his parents here, proceeded to his western home with many wishes for future happiness and prosperity.

—Harvest thanksgiving services were held in Trinity Church here on Sabbath last. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the offerings were abundant and liberal. In the scarcity of money such offerings from the abundance of the land should gladden the heart of the faithful pastor and acceptably replenish his larder. At the evening service, in the absence of the pastor, Mr. Kemp, station agent here, conducted the service, and read one of Wesley's sermons, greatly to the edification and delight of the congregation.

—The revival services in the Methodist Church, Melrose, continue from night to night with unabated interest and power.

Ernesttown Station.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—As far as THE EXPRESS is concerned, Ernesttown might as well be located in the wilds of Siberia, inhabited only by the unfortunate victims of the autocrat of Russia, or an oasis in the desert of Sahara, the resort of an occasional band of camel drivers. Why don't you drum up some live correspondent to tell you what is going on, who is going to be married, how many fair and cloudy days we have during the week, how far behind time the trains are and all such matters of importance conducive to the welfare of the public?

—I say, can you tell who says the "Deaver for trying to 'bear' the barley market every year? That course is getting just about as stale as it is uncalled for and the fact of such being the

A STRANGE STORY.

Chapter II.

(Continued.)

"Departed spirits of the mighty dead."

Winging swift their silent way through the buoyant morning air
Spirits of dead poets came, gathering from everywhere,
Almost every land and clime represented in the host
Of the present time's progress and their own live deeds to boast.
A convention of those minds whose works many praises bring
Gathered all, and lo we find English Shakespeare is their king!
Glad of this occasion then, let us listen while they give
What they've seen and heard and think of the present race that live.
Many subjects they discuss—Tariff, Gordon and the East;
Shakespeare, rising, "brethren," says "these are all to me the least."

"Yesterday, in a paper, I by chance
Saw laid before me, and with rapid glance
Read o'er the page and saw my own name there,
(Then on a-down with still increasing care)
But not surprised was I at this, for still
My fame is bright, and linger ever will
Both name and fame; that's neither here nor there,

What I at present mean to you lay bare
Is what I read; be patient while I give
You a synopsis of it: As I live
'Twas of two villages, they lying near
Have dispute had ('tis so from year to year)
On the location of a station, see;
One says, give all, the other, half to me.
One is called Ben, the other one is Jim;
Ben wants it all; but Jim just man, to him
A half's enough; but when his brother Ben
(Greedy intent to gain his aim and end)
Determined is to take his right away
He in defence of right has said his say.
To which true bill Ben, much incensed, replies
And that's the matter which my temper tries.
You mind the trial scene in the Venice court,
Shylock, Portia, Bassanio and in short
All the rest. Well be, this Ben I mean,
Drags to his pen the all-absorbing scene,
Paints Jim as Shylock—the idiot; heard you ever
Such senseless stuff; I solemnly aver
There's no comparison—not the smallest part,
'Twixt he and Jim, for Shylock's murderous heart
Dark and revengeful craved a Christian life.
Jim only claims what's his, a Christian right—
Simply his share, just this and nothing more—
In this same station, as I've said before,
Corrupt, indeed, and bought, such words as these,
No wonder you see with such apparent ease.
How well you see does he, the answer to bribe,
Mote, by himself, the others powers to bribe.
Full well he knows the judge would, if "not bound"
With anger just on Ben himself come down.
Let these judge who know—I've watched the scene throughout—

My mind of Ben I'll tell you more about:
Ben in his greed, his Jew-like covetousness
Is Shylock's compeer, and I must confess
Were I on earth I might wield the quill again
A portrait painter like Shylock of this Ben.
Or worse, I would of schemes, intrigues and shaves,

To put it all in one plain word, 'tis knaves.
You oft have seen the crawling worm fast hold
Take to some solid, then about him fold
His spotted coat, when lo! as days pass by
Comes from this case a gaily butterfly,
Which in the summer sun and balmy day
Makes but a show and passes life away.
Or compared better to that tempting fruit,
To the eye seems to sure the taste to suit,
Hastening to gather when lo! what surprise
Gone all the beauty, ashes meet the eyes.
So Ben you touch and strip his covering off
Rat to the core and that, to fear and scorn
Which, as a duty, for no reason, I aver
Did half the meanness that is hidden there.
Is it their food? That may have some to do;
Their well spoke beef is like them rotten too

us. We did not expect them so soon. The first time they call, we will have the gate on hinges.

—Opposition is the life of trade." It will work with sewing machines as well as sugars. Report says that there is to be a new agent for machines here, while our merchants are already giving as much sugar for a dollar bill as is advertised in your town. Nothing like it.

—Our villagers some time ago subscribed and paid for a set of hay scales which were to have been placed in working order before this. We are in great need of the scales and some parties talk very strongly of learning "why not?"

The report that our mail after the 1st prox. will come by the N. T. & Q. Railway, was received with satisfaction here. Three mails daily means fun for the boys but death to the postmasters.

—I would like to find the man who stole that hat and put the green tomatoes in my bed. If I catch him he will wish he had never struck on the other side of that gate alive.

Centreville.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

Oh! Doctor, don't deceive the parson again by making him think he has a vote.

—Mrs. J. S. Miller has just returned from Morven where she has been spending a week visiting friends.

—The many friends of Mrs. Washburn McCrady will be sorry to hear that her health is not improved any since her return to Prince Edward.

—Rev. M. J. Bates, of Yarker, our former pastor, was around calling on his old friends. All were very much pleased to see him, especially the young ladies.

—The smiling visage of Mr. Alonzo Ash is once more seen around town.

—Two of Tamworth's young ladies spent last week in Centreville. A Manitoba young man very unexpectedly appeared on the scene and astonished the natives by carrying off the Belle.

—Our annual missionary meeting came off on Tuesday, 14th inst., and was a grand success, both financially and oratorically, the principal speakers being Revs. Bates, of Yarker; Robinson, of Wilton; and Paul, of Centreville.

—Mr. B. G. Secord, one of the numerous and persuasive book agents with which this village abounds, left last Monday for "fresh fields and pastures new," after a sojourn of about four months here. The only consolation the girls have is that he has not gone any further away than Tamworth and will, doubtless, be able to get back once in a while. URIAH HEEP.

Jottings from the North.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—Mr. James Armstrong was made the happy father of a girl baby on the 17th inst.

HUNTING PARTIES.—Up to the latest accounts the Duhague hunting party, from Belleville, had killed eleven deer and caught two barrels of salmon, together with a large number of partridges bagged. Mr. Lester Scott and brother, of Napanee, accompanied by W. Snider, of Belleville, and Mr. Smith, of Napanee, passed on the 17th inst. to the hunting grounds in the vicinity of Plevna. They expect to have a three weeks' outing. Mr. John Soby, after spending a week with the Perry-Wheeler hunting party and getting two deer, returned home on the 16th inst. Mr. James O'Brien, son and adopted son, Mr. W. M. Huff came on the 20th inst. and are operating at Wolf Lake. Up to time of writing they had killed ten deer and a number of partridges and succeeded in taking some excellent fish. The Napanee party who operated near Loon Lake, composed of Messrs. Miller, Pruyn, Perry, Way and Demorest, who came on the 10th inst., were fortunate enough to slay eight deer. All were pleased with the sport. Singularly enough, the honor of doing the "crack shooting" was accorded to a "green horn" among the party. The party returned to Napanee on Monday, laden with their spoils, rejoicing. Owing to urgent business Mr. A. P. Wickware was unable to attend, only on certain days. Mr. Peter Amy and hunting party, of Bath, arrived on the 16th and proceeded with their annual hunt. Messrs. L. A. Wheeler, E. H. Perry, of Centreville, B. Perry, Tamworth, and David Perry, of Ernestown, arrived on the 13th inst. on a hunting expedition. Owing to urgent business the Messrs. Perry were obliged to return on the 18th inst.

—A short time ago a youth named Rosenplot had a narrow escape from being shot. While dragging his gun after him through some fallen timber and brushwood, it was accidentally discharged. Being in a partly recumbent position, the ball passed in close proximity to his body, from the hips upward, tearing his clothes, splitting his ear and making a hole in his hat close to the band.

—Mr. Harry Coyle, of Napanee, returns in a few days and intends to remain here for the winter.

—Messrs. Wm. and Thos. Dempsey and Ed. Hall, returned from Saginaw, Mich., on the 15th inst. After an experience of twelve months they report business in many lines very dull.

National Pills are unsurpassed as a safe, mild, yet thorough, purgative, acting upon the biliary organs promptly and effectually.

of the public?

—I say, can you tell who says that? Heaven for trying to "bear" the barley market every year! That course is getting just about as stale as it is uncalculated for, and the fact of such being the policy of that journal from year to year, not only this year but every year, is leading some to believe that its motive is not wholly disinterested. The very fact of the barley market being subject to such extreme fluctuations ought to be enough to convince anyone of common sense of the childish absurdity of attempting to forecast the price with any degree of certainty. All last fall and winter the Beaver was loud-mouthed in crying down the price of barley. There was absolutely no chance of a rise and it was figured folly to hold in that expectation. What followed? Those farmers who were fortunate enough to hold were rewarded by a sharp advance of from 10 to 15 cents per bushel before the close of the maiting season. The result may or may not be the same this year, but let every farmer use his own judgment and sell his barley when he gets ready and not be influenced by any grain dealer or any journal working in the dealers' interest. According to figures furnished by the Ontario Government, Canada will export less barley this year than in '83 and very much less than in '82. All authorities agree that the crop in New York State is considerably below the average, and it should be remembered that New York and California produce a very large percentage of the entire crop of the United States. In this connection and another subject of vital importance to the barley growers, more anon. BEE.

Newburgh.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—The Council met on Monday night, the Reeve in the chair. Present, Messrs. Bell, Finkle and Farley. After routine it was moved by Mr. Finkle and seconded by Mr. Bell, that the Collector be paid \$40 for collecting the taxes to the amount of \$2,600 and upon all over that amount 2 per cent.—Carried.

—Mr. Geo. Stickney left for New Orleans on Monday morning. Before leaving he made Mr. James Holmes a handsome present of a watch worth \$50. We wish George a safe journey for he is a fine fellow.

—Mr. John Farley is building a nice barn and stable.

—The anniversary of the Methodist Sabbath School was a great financial success. The Rev. Mr. Depew of Tamworth delivered two excellent sermons on Sunday and an able discourse on the Monday evening following. Somewhat more than \$27 were realized.

—The Methodist Church fence is receiving an extra coat of paint.

—Mr. H. Finkle is levelling off a piece of land. We understand he intends building a brick house.

—The sidewalk is undergoing repairs in front of Mr. Miles Caton's store.

—We are pleased to learn that two more of our high school pupils have received certificates and that Miss Ida Rook has been raised from an intermediate to a third-class standing. This speaks volumes for our teachers. A few weeks ago we asked "Where is the high school that has done better?" We have not yet learned the name of any. We have now to add that our school passed more than ninety-four per cent. of those who were pupils for the current year, and this we believe is the largest per centage of pupils passed by any high school or collegiate institute in Ontario. Newburgh high school has always occupied a foremost place and we are proud to see it taking the lead of many schools situated in cities and large towns. Already the pupils from the county far outnumber those from the village and it is to be hoped that the county will bear a proportionate share of the expense of supporting an institution that is doing a noble work for the county and for the rising generation.

—Mr. Burrows, Public School Inspector, paid our schools a visit on Monday. We have not yet learned what his report is of the proficiency of our public school pupils. Mr. R. H. Tisdale has been quite ill.

—The annual meeting of the American canoe association will be held next year on Grindstone Island, opposite Gananoque, the same place as last year.

—The County of Prince Edward exhibition will in future be held on the second Wednesday and Thursday in October. The attention of the directors of the Lennox county society is directed to the fact.

—Hon. T. V. Powderly, of Scranton, Pa., general master workman of the Knights of Labor, of America, visited Belleville on Tuesday last and delivered a lecture on the aims and objects of the association.

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Which, is a duty, for neglecting ever. It is their food? That may have some to do; Their well spoke beef is like their rotten too Compared with Jim, as Donald Ben apples fail When shown with those whose worth must o'er prevail. So does this Ben, the truly butterfly. With the sure bee that honestly lays by Its future store, need I ever think to be. Though seeming greater half so sure as he."

Through th' assembly, when he ceased, went a murmur and the din Was about the tale they'd heard, and their favor was for Jim.

"Let us aid," says one and all, "as we may this village Jim. "And the muse who claims his rights near our spirits be to him."

Colebrook, Oct. 1st, 1884.

DISTRICT NEWS.

—Ameliasburg fair was a success.

—Diphtheria is prevalent in Cataractui.

—The Scott Act campaign is getting lively in Pictou.

—Pictou's new roller skating rink is nearly completed.

—The Blue Ribbon Gospel Army is pushing things in Pictou.

—A Prescott hunter killed eleven deer in Levant Township last week.

—The Scott Act is to be submitted to the rate-payers of Kingston and Frontenac.

—Renfrew is rejoicing at the prospect of railway communication with Kingston.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup will remove all kinds of Worms from children or adults.

—"Jack the Barber" and "Pathmaster" will run at the Cataractui race course for \$300.

—The Collector of Customs at Pictou has a pair of odd pets in the shape of horned toads.

—Hundreds of wild duck are flying and floating in the waters at the foot of Amherst Island.

—Two Belleville burglars are in jail. In Whitby, charged with stealing a gold watch and chain.

—Three young ladies took the "black veil" at the House of Providence, in Kingston, last week.

—We regret to learn of the death of Elvira Smith, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Smith, of Collinsby.

Freeman's Worm Powders are safe in all cases. They destroy and remove Worms in children or adults.

—The history of Downs Elixir is identified with the history of New England for the last fifty years. It cures coughs and colds.

—The Kingston Council has just paid \$15 for damages caused by a runaway, owing to a defective sidewalk.

—Rev. Fathers O'Connor and McGrath, recently of Ireland, have been added to the diocese of Kingston.

—Mr. C. W. Huffer, of Sydney, cultivates peanuts, and claims they can be grown here as well as elsewhere.

—Mary Caulfield, of Kingston, was fined \$2 and costs on Monday for selling a five-cent stick of candy on Sunday.

—A lumberman named John Johnston was found dead in the woods Tuesday last with a bullet hole in his breast.

Prof. Low's Magic Sulphur Soap.—Healing, soothing and cleansing for all eruptive diseases of the skin. Delightful for toilet use.

—Ald. T. H. McGuire and E. H. Smythe announce themselves as candidates for the Kingston mayoralty for 1885.

—Deseronto wants a hall in which to hold public meetings and entertainments. She has our assent to the erection of one.

—W. Nugent, a Kingston second-hand clothes dealer, has been sent up for six months for buying articles, knowing them to have been stolen.

—Costiveness is the cause of the intolerable "bad breath" of multitudes. Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters remove the cause and prevent the evil, and cost only 25 cents.

—The Union Sabbath School of Deseronto has been discontinued, owing to the fact that the various churches have established schools of their own.

McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate will cure any case of Pimples on the face or Rough Skin on either hands or face and leave them soft as silk. It will also heal any sore when all other preparations fail. Thousands have tested it. Ask your druggist for McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate, and do not be persuaded to take anything else claimed to be as good. It is but 25 cents per box, at A. T. Grange's and T. A. Hufferman's drug stores, Napanee; also, at James Aylsworth's drug store, Tamworth.

Miscellaneous.

NAPANEE LIME WORKS.

We, the undersigned, have engaged the services of first class men and are prepared to furnish Roach Lime at lower rates than any other parties in the county. All our lime is burned by wood. Delivered by boat or rail. All orders promptly attended to.

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Second-hand, stationery, 12-horse power. Engine has been rebuilt since taken out and is as good as new. Boiler is locomotive style and in good order with heater. The above will be sold cheap.

G. L. MAIR & BRO. 18
Napanee, March 7th, 1884.

FOR SALE—The undersigned offers for sale his large brick residence on the west side of East street. The house having been built under his own supervision, with all due attention to drainage, ventilation, etc., is one of the most desirable in the town. Fine garden with choicest fruit trees in excellent condition. Terms easy. Apply to

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AGRICULTURAL.

Garden Notes.

The month of October is the time for harvesting roots, the fine dry days make pleasant work of it if done in season, but if put off till the colder and wetter weather of November, the men can not accomplish nearly as much work as they can in the pleasant days of this month. Beets are harvested first as they are more likely to be damaged by frost than carrots or turnips, which are taken care of later. Parsnips also if wanted for sale in winter, or very early in spring, must be harvested in autumn, though if wanted for use after the ground thaws, they usually keep better in the field undisturbed; the same is true of horseradish.

The best way to keep all kinds of roots in pits, but if put into a cellar they should be piled not over two or three feet deep, and covered over with a little hay or straw to keep the air from wilting them. The cellar for roots is best kept quite cold, almost freezing, and in case the roots begin to heat, they must be overhauled at once to cool them off; turnips are more likely to heat than other roots, and should not be piled more than two feet deep, and even then will need care to keep them from heating.

Beets and mangolds are pulled by hand and thrown in heaps and topped in the field; carrots and parsnips are pulled quite easily after ploughing a deep furrow quite close to the off side of the row; horseradish needs to be ploughed on both sides of the row, throwing the earth from the roots, and then with a good team and a good ploughman the plough can be run directly under the roots, turning them completely out; it is severe work for both horses and man. The horseradish tops should be cleaned off with hoes and rakes before ploughing out; this is best done quite late, about Nov. 10, for the roots keep growing later than others.

All celery should now be banked up without delay, for there is no danger of rotting in the cool weather. That which is intended for late keeping should be banked last and only banked once, just enough to crowd the leaves together, so that it will pack well in the pit.

Parsley and dandelion roots may be transplanted still for forcing in cold frames, though the work is better done in September. Lettuce plants should have a little heat if transplanted this month, and those in cold beds will need care to keep the frost out in cold, windy nights. Lettuce in greenhouses will usually need a little fire on cold nights before November, but in fine weather the glass will need abundant airing.

October is a good time to gather in a good stock of forest leaves; they are capital covering for keeping frost out of cabbage beds, celery pits, and all sorts of pits in fact, and when plenty may be used for litter with advantage.

During all my experience I never remember seeing so long continued a glut of tomatoes; it is not uncommon to have them sell for a single day or two for less than the cost of picking and selling them, but this year the glut has held out for nearly a month, at prices considerably less than the cost of gathering and carting to market. The pickling establish-

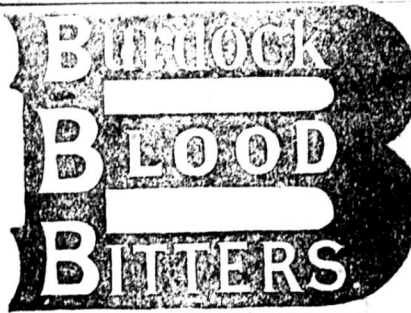
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about this year the glut has held out for nearly a month, at prices considerably less than the cost of gathering and carting to market. The pickling establishments have had everything thrown away this year, and if they have not laid in a large stock they can only blame themselves. These extremely low prices might perhaps be avoided in the future, if the gardeners had the good sense and spirit to combine in a trade union, as other trades do, and limit their production to the wants of the market. If the coal miners, for instance, were to work all their machinery to its full capacity, they would produce nearly twice as much coal as is needed, and the price would be ruinously low; they combine and agree to limit production. The result is a healthy demand and a reasonable price. The glut is a natural result of the high prices of two and three years ago, when extensive droughts at the south limited the crop, making prices very profitable here, where the crop was fairly good. Farmers began to think that the pickle factories would always pay 75c or \$1 per bushel for good tomatoes, and this year the amount of land planted was probably double the average. Late frosts in June and a wet season damaged the plants and made the crop ripen later, but in September the yield was enormous, and thousands of bushels have rotted in the fields for want of market. The loss falls heavily on many farmers who have depended on this crop for a pretty sure source of income.—[N. E. Farmer.

A Gold and Silver Street

Our principal streets are receiving a top-dressing of rock from the waste dumps to put them in order for the coming winter. Very frequently during the summer pieces of good ore have been picked out from among that dumped in the roadway by the carts, but recently it was evident that a new waste dump had been attacked, as there was an unusual preponderance of ore in the material. It seemed, in fact, to be nearly all ore. Close examination, however, showed that a considerable amount of what at the first glance seemed good ore was very base, yet with this base was mingled much rich black sulphuret ore.

From a lot of this dumped on C street, in front of Odd-Fellows' hall, we took two samples, which were crushed up together and assayed by J. R. Ryan, of the Consolidated Virginia assay office, with the following results: Gold, \$164.75; silver, \$168; total, \$332.75.

This is pretty good "waste rock" with which to fill in the streets! We induce a mill man of Silver city to examine the rock that was being dumped from the street carts. At first he thought it all base, but on looking more carefully he began to find lumps of genuine black sulphuret ore, and finally said: "This is better material than most of that now being taken out on the old upper levels. It would pay well for working."

The assay given above was made after this, and the opinion obtained from the millman was founded wholly on what he saw before him. It is said that the rock of which we are speaking is obtained at a waste dump up near the corner of A and Carson streets. The rock was probably brought out of the old Burning Moscow in the early days. Miners were not then good judges of ore. Some portions of the

vein having been assayed and found to be base, it was probably concluded that all was base, as only a practised eye would note the difference of grain. Wherever the rock may have been mined, it is evident that it would pay pretty well to over haul that waste dump. By careful assorting, no doubt a large amount of good ore might easily be obtained.—[Virginia City (Nev.) Enterprise.]

Raising of Stock.

From the report of the select committee appointed by the House of Commons to obtain information as to the agricultural interests of the country, we cull the following remarks which appear in a communication made by Professor Wm. Brown. The Professor says:

"As a people, we live on flour, flesh and fruit, and if flesh be second to flour in importance, it is now, at any rate in the older provinces, the back bone of flour. What can we do to make our farmers realize the difference between breeds—between pure breeds and grades—and that Canada all over is a splendid field for their most perfect and economical development? The subject has two aspects: The production of thoroughbreds for ourselves and the American market, and of grades partly for themselves and largely for the British market. I may be too warm on these to give what may be deemed an impartial opinion, for I have always contended that as Canadians we have not yet realized how much we can do as a country in these particulars.

No part of the American continent can compete with us in the healthy maintenance of cattle and sheep, and were our farmers alive at the present moment to what is going on in the United States as preparatory to an almost universal bonanza in beef and mutton, they would surely wake up—for I do not think we want for enterprise—once realized. I see no reason why Canada should not place and hold herself as the sole breeding ground for the United States. The Americans themselves think so. They act upon this belief and yet we do not seem to see it."

Artificial Manures.

The tendency of every country as it increases in population should be toward closer and more economical tillage. In a very short time Ontario and Quebec farmers will have to compete with those of the Northwest, whose farms cost them next to nothing, and who till a soil of well high inexhaustible richness. If they would wish to hold their own in this age of keen and vigorous competition, the Ontario farmers must make the most of their resources. Their land is, much of it, partially worn out, but on the other hand labor is cheaper in Ontario than in the North-west, and though her soil may not be particularly fertile in its present state, the country abounds in fertilizers that can be readily made available. It is a well known fact that mineral phosphates abound in various portions of Ontario and Quebec, notably in the counties of Frontenac and Lanark and in the Ottawa Valley. This phosphate has in times past been shipped in large quantities out of the country, but it is to be hoped that

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882.

"Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

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Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the Sarsaparilla in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 73 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882.

Yours gratefully,
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Napanee, May 7th, 1881.

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Leave Napanee 6.00 a.m. Leave Picton 3.00 p.m.
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Deseronto 7.30 " 10.30 a.m. 2.30 p.m.

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Good Quality and According to Agreement.

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Napanee, April 14, 1884.

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SEASON OF 1884

been shipped in large quantities out of the country, but it is to be hoped that the time for this sort of thing will soon be at an end. Canada cannot afford to ship her phosphates to England, and the sooner she finds this out the better. The immense accumulations of offal and refuse about the great cities ought to be utilized in the production of fertilizers, and these with the mineral phosphates should be sufficient to enrich, for generations to come, all the worn out land in the older provinces. At present the phosphate is exported and the offal is wasted, but sooner or later all this must be changed. —[Canadian Breeder.]

A Startling Potatoe Yield

The editor of the *Rural New Yorker* reports a yield of potatoes upon its experiment grounds of 1391½ bushels per acre. They were dug Aug. 27, weighed, and the yield per acre figured out by disinterested parties. We are not informed as to the size of the field, nor much about the method of culture. This is at the rate of 8 bushels and 41 pounds per square rod. With rows two and three-fourths feet apart (33 inches), there would be six rows to the rod. The above yield would give five pecks and nearly seven pounds to each row one rod long. With the hills sixteen and a half inches apart, there would be twelve hills to the row, and almost seven pounds per hill, or a small fraction less than a half peck. There is plenty of room on an acre of land to bury 1390 bushels of potatoes, but not many farmers have yet learned how to coax that quantity to grow upon so small an area. It is worth something to know that it can be done. Four hundred and eighty-eight bushels was our largest yield of this crop, estimated from the product of one square rod. We are anxious to try again and intend to do so. —[N. E. Farmer:]

The Cork Duck.

A pleasant trick to look at was the one which followed. He took a cocoanut shell with one end cut off, and filled it with water. In the water he placed a little piece of cork, having a bent pin on one side, and two straight pins on the other side, so that the cork as it floated roughly resembled a lilliputian duck. The cork lay dead in the water, and it was difficult to think what magic could possibly be got out of it. Presently the juggler, sitting about two yards off, took out a musical instrument and began to play a lively tune. Instantly the imitation duck commenced to dance violently in the water, suiting its motions to the music. The dancing continued till the tune was ended; then the juggler ordered the duck to salaam, and he was at once obeyed. He even requested the buoyant cork to dive to the bottom of the water, and his request was immediately complied with. While the performance was going on the cocoanut shell was standing almost at our feet, and the performer was not only sitting beyond reach, but both his hands were employed in playing the instrument. —[Chamber's Journal.]

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AGRICULTURAL.

Garden Notes.

The month of October is the time for harvesting roots, the fine dry days make pleasant work of it if done in season, but if put off till the colder and wetter weather of November, the men can not accomplish nearly as much work as they can in the pleasant days of this month. Beets are harvested first as they are more likely to be damaged by frost than carrots or turnips, which are taken care of later. Parsnips also if wanted for sale in winter, or very early in spring, must be harvested in autumn, though if wanted for use after the ground thaws, they usually keep better in the field undisturbed; the same is true of horseradish.

The best way to keep all kinds of roots is in pits, but if put into a cellar they should be piled not over two or three feet deep, and covered over with a little hay or straw to keep the air from wilting them. The cellar for roots is best kept quite cold, almost freezing, and in case the roots begin to heat, they must be overhauled at once to cool them off; turnips are more likely to heat than other roots, and should not be piled more than two feet deep, and even then will need care to keep them from heating.

Beets and mangolds are pulled by hand and thrown in heaps and topped in the field; carrots and parsnips are pulled quite easily after ploughing a deep furrow quite close to the off side of the row; horseradish needs to be ploughed on both sides of the row, throwing the earth from the roots, and then with a good team and a good ploughman the plough can be run directly under the roots, turning them completely out; it is severe work for both horses and man. The horseradish tops should be cleaned off with hoes and rakes before ploughing out; this is best done quite late, about Nov. 10, for the roots keep growing later than others.

All celery should now be banked up without delay, for there is no danger of rotting in the cool weather. That which is intended for late keeping should be banked last and only banked once, just enough to crowd the leaves together, so that it will pack well in the pit.

Parsley and dandelion roots may be transplanted still for forcing in cold frames, though the work is better done in September. Lettuce plants should have a little heat if transplanted this month, and those in cold beds will need care to keep the frost out in cold, windy nights. Lettuce in greenhouses will usually need a little fire on cold nights before November, but in fine weather the glass will need abundant airing.

October is a good time to gather in a good stock of forest leaves; they are capital covering for keeping frost out of cabbage beds, celery pits, and all sorts of pits in fact, and when plenty may be used for litter with advantage.

During all my experience I never remember seeing so long continued a glut of tomatoes; it is not uncommon to have them sell for a single day or two for less than the cost of picking and selling them, but this year the glut has held out for nearly a month, at prices considerably less than the cost of gathering and carting to market. The pickling establish-

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but this year the glut has held out for nearly a month, at prices considerably less than the cost of gathering and carting to market. The pickling establishments have had everything their own way this year, and if they have not laid in a large stock they can only blame themselves. These extremely low prices might perhaps be avoided in the future, if the gardeners had the good sense and spirit to combine in a trade union, as other trades do, and limit their production to the wants of the market. If the coal miners, for instance, were to work all their machinery to its full capacity, they would produce nearly twice as much coal as is needed, and the price would be ruinously low; they combine and agree to limit production. The result is a healthy demand and a reasonable price. The glut is a natural result of the high prices of two and three years ago, when extensive droughts at the south limited the crop, making prices very profitable here, where the crop was fairly good. Farmers began to think that the pickle factories would always pay 75c or \$1 per bushel for good tomatoes, and this year the amount of land planted was probably double the average. Late frosts in June and a wet season damaged the plants and made the crop ripen later, but in September the yield was enormous, and thousands of bushels have rotted in the fields forwant of market. The loss falls heavily on many farmers who have depended on this crop for a pretty sure source of income.—[N. E. Farmer.

A Gold and Silver Street

Our principal streets are receiving a top-dressing of rock from the waste dumps to put them in order for the coming winter. Very frequently during the summer pieces of good ore have been picked out from among that dumped in the roadway by the carts, but recently it was evident that a new waste dump had been attacked, as there was an unusual preponderance of ore in the material. It seemed, in fact, to be nearly all ore. Close examination, however, showed that a considerable amount of what at the first glance seemed good ore was very base, yet with this base was mingled much rich black sulphuret ore.

From a lot of this dumped on C street, in front of Odd-Fellows' hall, we took two samples, which were crushed up together and assayed by J. R. Ryan, of the Consolidated Virginia assay office, with the following results: Gold, \$164.75; silver, \$168; total, \$332.75.

This is pretty good "waste rock" with which to fill in the streets! We induce a mill man of Silver city to examine the rock that was being dumped from the street carts. At first he thought it all base, but on looking more carefully he began to find lumps of genuine black sulphuret ore, and finally said: "This is better material than most of that now being taken out on the old upper levels. It would pay well for working."

The assay given above was made after this, and the opinion obtained from the millman was founded wholly on what he saw before him. It is said that the rock of which we are speaking is obtained at a waste dump up near the corner of A and Carson streets. The rock was probably brought out of the old Burning Moscow in the early days. Miners were not then good judges of ore. Some portions of the

vein having been assayed and found to be base, it was probably concluded that all was base, as only a practised eye would note the difference of grain. Wherever the rock may have been mined, it is evident that it would pay pretty well to over haul that waste dump. By careful assorting, no doubt a large amount of good ore might easily be obtained.—[Virginia City (Nev.) Enterprise.]

Raising of Stock.

From the report of the select committee appointed by the House of Commons to obtain information as to the agricultural interests of the country, we cull the following remarks which appear in a communication made by Professor Wm. Brown. The Professor says:

"As a people, we live on flour, flesh and fruit, and if flesh be second to flour in importance, it is now, at any rate in the older provinces, the back bone of flour. What can we do to make our farmers realize the difference between breeds—between pure breeds and grades—and that Canada all over is a splendid field for their most perfect and economical development? The subject has two aspects: The production of thoroughbreds for ourselves and the American market, and of grades partly for themselves and largely for the British market. I may be too warm on these to give what may be deemed an impartial opinion, for I have always contended that as Canadians we have not yet realized how much we can do as a country in these particulars.

No part of the American continent can compete with us in the healthy maintenance of cattle and sheep, and were our farmers alive at the present moment to what is going on in the United States as preparatory to an almost universal bonanza in beef and mutton, they would surely wake up—for I do not think we want for enterprise—once realized. I see no reason why Canada should not place and hold herself as the sole breeding ground for the United States. The Americans themselves think so. They act upon this belief and yet we do not seem to see it."

Artificial Manures.

The tendency of every country as it increases in population should be toward closer and more economical tillage. In a very short time Ontario and Quebec farmers will have to compete with those of the Northwest, whose farms cost them next to nothing, and who till a soil of well high inexhaustible richness. If they would wish to hold their own in this age of keen and vigorous competition, the Ontario farmers must make the most of their resources. Their land is, much of it, partially worn out, but on the other hand labor is cheaper in Ontario than in the North-west, and though her soil may not be particularly fertile in its present state, the country abounds in fertilizers that can be readily made available. It is a well known fact that mineral phosphates abound in various portions of Ontario and Quebec, notably in the counties of Frontenac and Lanark and in the Ottawa Valley. This phosphate has in times past been shipped in large quantities out of the country, but it is to be hoped that

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TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882.

"Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

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has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

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Napanee, May 7th, 1881.

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L've Picton 6 00 L've Trenton 6 00 p.m.
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Wm. Saul.

Napanee, April 14, 1881.

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been shipped in large quantities out of the country, but it is to be hoped that the time for this sort of thing will soon be at an end. Canada cannot afford to ship her phosphates to England, and the sooner she finds this out the better. The immense accumulations of offal and refuse about the great cities ought to be utilized in the production of fertilizers, and these with the mineral phosphates should be sufficient to enrich, for generations to come, all the worn out land in the older provinces. At present the phosphate is exported and the offal is wasted, but sooner or later all this must be changed. —[Canadian Breeder.

A Startling Potatoe Yield

The editor of the *Rural New Yorker* reports a yield of potatoes upon its experiment grounds of 1391½ bushels per acre. They were dug Aug. 27, weighed, and the yield per acre figured out by disinterested parties. We are not informed as to the size of the field, nor much about the method of culture. This is at the rate of 8 bushels and 41 pounds per square rod. With rows two and three-fourths feet apart (33 inches), there would be six rows to the rod. The above yield would give five pecks and nearly seven pounds to each row one rod long. With the hills sixteen and a half inches apart, there would be twelve hills to the row, and almost seven pounds per hill, or a small fraction less than a half peck. There is plenty of room on an acre of land to bury 1390 bushels of potatoes, but not many farmers have yet learned how to coax that quantity to grow upon so small an area. It is worth something to know that it can be done. Four hundred and eighty-eight bushels was our largest yield of this crop, estimated from the product of one square rod. We are anxious to try again and intend to do so. —[N. E. Farmer.

The Cork Duck.

A pleasant trick to look at was the one which followed. He took a cocoanut shell with one end cut off, and filled it with water. In the water he placed a little piece of cork, having a bent pin on one side, and two straight pins on the other side, so that the cork as it floated roughly resembled a lilliputian duck. The cork lay dead in the water, and it was difficult to think what magic could possibly be got out of it. Presently the juggler, sitting about two yards off, took out a musical instrument and began to play a lively tune. Instantly the imitation duck commenced to dance violently in the water, suiting its motions to the music. The dancing continued till the tune was ended; then the juggler ordered the duck to salaam, and he was at once obeyed. He even requested the buoyant cork to dive to the bottom of the water, and his request was immediately complied with. While the performance was going on the cocoanut shell was standing almost at our feet, and the performer was not only sitting beyond reach, but both his hands were employed in playing the instrument. —[Chamber's Journal.

Great is he who enjoys his earthenware as it were plate, and not less great is the man to whom all his plate is no more than earthenware.

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A QUEER DANISH AMUSEMENT.

Riding Up and Down Inclined Planes

It is called in Danish *rutschban*, and may as well be dubbed in English *rush railway*. A tower stands at either end of a railway, which is perhaps 180 feet in length, 40 feet high at one extremity, and half as high at the other. I climbed the rude staircase of the higher tower, and found myself in a room crowded with people waiting their opportunity for a ride. At the entrance stood a pheasant-like car on four small iron wheels, the car being very stout and holding two people with comfort. The wheels were in grooves, and the course extended over the descending and ascending slopes. The people would get into a car and be strapped in by a leathern boot; the car would be started down the inclined plane by an attendant, and away it would go down the first slope, and by its impetus rise to the next height, go over and down again, at each rise pitching a little lower, at each pitch rising to a lesser height, until the last slope, when it rushed up the hill, bumped against a buffer, and the two travellers got out. The car would then be seized, dragged aside, put upon a lift, hauled up to a height above, and sent back, with other passengers or empty, down a corresponding road parallel to the first and terminating in a similar low tower by the side of the one I was in, where it would be hoisted again into place, and be ready to make the round of the rush railway again.

I stood by the entrance where the car started down, watching the couples get into the vehicle and then go thundering down the slope. I saw sedate men who might have been bank presidents get in, and children, and ardent youths and maidens, two by two. They held each other in; they almost lost their hats; they bowed, and fell back upon the huge "thank-you-ma'am's" they looked frightened, and they looked bold; they smiled and they almost cried; but I heard no one scream. At length, when I had politely given way to those more eager I was driven by shame and an inextinguishable curiosity to try this reckless "coast." I paid the fare—about two and a half cents—and took my seat. I jammed my hat down over my brow, grasped the back of the car with one hand, and no doubt turned pale as the push was given and began that awful descent. I felt that thrilling sensation of vibration in the pit of my stomach which one has in a swing when descending, and then we shot up the slope, saw a new abyss, and plunged into it. A delicious reprieve was followed by another fearful descent; four times we dashed in the face of fate, and then, with one triumphant rush; flew up the last incline. I got out of the car with my wits standing on end, and tumbled down the staircase in a bewildered, groggy way, anxious to get my legs upon the immovable earth again.

There was no mistaking the thorough enjoyment which everybody took in this amusing place, and the decorum and good feeling seemed to come by nature. The applause was enthusiastic and energetic, and one formed a most agreeable impression of the sociability of the people.

CHIT-CHAT.

In Ohio there is one divorce case to every seven marriages. The other six pairs are probably boarding with their parents.

"To be weak is to be miserable"—that's boarding-house coffee. To be strong is to be more miserable still—that's boarding-school butter.

When Clara was asked what she would do if a nice young gentleman would ask her hand in marriage, she naively replied. "I don't think I'd no."

"Will you help me to press some leaves?" the maiden asked her lover. "If you will fasten them in your waist-belt I'll see what I can do," he answered.

"Let husbands consult their wives more and they would be happier," writes a wife in the *Boston Globe*. The use of the word "they" seems a little indefinite in this case.

"Yes, sir," said the stump speaker, "there are lots of real issues in this campaign." "So I see," remarked a bystander, pointing to an adjacent saloon, from which a crowd of drunken fellows came wobbling. "What do you mean?" "Why, 'real issues,' of course."

An editor published in his paper: "All communications to the editor that are written on both sides of the paper will be thrown into the waste-basket." A day or two afterward he received a long communication from his girl. It was written on both sides of the paper, but it didn't get into the waste-basket.

A dolorous story is current of a gentleman who was asked to write some lines in a lady's album, and commenced "Beautiful nymph, let fall thy eye upon this page." He was surprised that his opening was not appreciated. He was afterward informed that one of the lady's eyes was of glass, and consequently removable.

"My child, I cannot consent to your marrying young Henry. You know perfectly well you are engaged to William." "Yes, papa, but William is on a three years' cruise." "Well, what has that to do with it?" "Why should I waste the time? Henry has solemnly promised that he will consent to a divorce as soon as William arrives."

"Why is it that the employees in telephone offices are all ladies?" Mrs. Brown made this enquiry of her husband. "Well," answered Mr. Brown, "the managers of the telephone companies were aware that no class of employes work so faithfully as those who were in love with their labor, and they knew that ladies would be fond of the work in telephone offices." "What is the work in a telephone office?" Mrs. Brown further inquired. "Talking," answered Mr. Brown.

Robert Buchanan, the English poet, wishes that Americans would "evoke a *deus ex machina* of a more robust virility than is fashionable with supersensitive and superamatory misses." We have often thought that one of those italic things would fill a long-felt want, but owing to the press of business we could never get time to evoke it.

"Landlord!" cried an irritated traveler who had been eating dried-apple pie at a

Europe's Ironclad Navies.

England stands first with twenty-five modern line-of-battle ships, fulfilling all requirements of the present time, and fourteen obsolete men-of-war, nine modern and six obsolete ironclads for coast defense, and three ironclad cruisers.

France follows with sixteen modern and nine obsolete line-of-battle ships, and seven modern and eight obsolete ironclads for coast defense.

Next to these two most important naval powers ranks Germany, with nine modern (five ironclad frigates, four ironclad corvettes) line-of-battle ships, fulfilling all requirements of the present day, and three obsolete ironclad ships (the ironclad frigates *Kronprinz* and *Frederick Karl*, and the ironclad corvette *Hansa*) eleven modern ironclad vessels for coast defense (eleven ironclad gunboats all completed), and one obsolete vessel, the ironclad *Arminius*.

Austria takes fourth place, with three modern and seven obsolete line-of-battle ships.

Italy has two modern and eleven obsolete ironclad ships at her disposal.

Russia has only one single first-class line-of-battle ship, and seven obsolete ironclads, two modern and sixteen obsolete ironclad vessels for coast defense, and four ironclad cruisers.

Denmark possesses two modern and two obsolete line-of-battle ships, and two modern and two obsolete ironclad vessels for coast defense.

Holland, one modern battle ship and seventeen modern ironclad vessels for coast defense.

This shows that Great Britain still holds first place with her ironclad fleet; France second, Germany third, Italy fourth, Russia fifth, and Austria sixth place. France, however, is building at present fourteen vessels of the most powerful description, and eight similarly powerful ironclad vessels for coast defense, against seven line-of-battle ships and five ironclad cruisers building in Great Britain. In a few years, therefore, France will be able to dispose of thirty battle ships, of which twelve are first-class fighting power, and Great Britain of thirty-two battle ships, numbering, however, only a single vessel of about equal strength to the twelve French ships. Italy is constructing five battle ships of first-class power; Russia three battle ships and three ironclad cruisers; Germany, one ironclad cruiser, and two ironclad gunboats; Austria, one battle ship; Denmark, one ironclad for coast defense. Great Britain's pre-eminence on the seas is, therefore, most decidedly menaced by France, with the completion of the vessels building by both states. As Great Britain is obliged to employ a great portion of her fleet in the Mediterranean and at many distant stations, it may be presumed that from 1887 or 1888 a French fleet of forty-two ironclads would be opposed to an English fleet of, at most, thirty ironclads, including in the latter the vessels reserved for coast defense.

A Distilling Insect.

Livingstone met with a wonderful distilling insect in Africa on fig trees. Seven or eight of the insects cluster round a spot on one of the smaller branches, and these

ergence, and one formed a most agreeable impression of the sociability of the people.—*Harper's Magazine.*

LOSS BY CHOLERA.

Figures arrived at from Banker's Returns.

It is said that the loss which the continent has sustained this year from the cholera scare exceeds four millions and a half of money. The figures are arrived at from the bankers' returns as their accounts appeared at the commencement of the current month. The amount seems incredibly large, especially as the expenses of quarantine forms no part of the total. Switzerland has of course suffered most, as her special industry seems to consist in the housing and nurture and transport of travellers, but in actual, though not in relative importance, the loss to France has been greater. The Swiss harvest of tourists is reaped by her hotel-keepers, and railway companies only in the summer months, and it may be said that almost all the crop of 1884 has been lost. The calamity to France has been spread over a wider area, but on the other hand, the severity of the trial has been mitigated by circumstances. The French seaside resorts have been fuller this year than in any season since 1878, full and the influx has consisted almost entirely of French, and very largely of Parisians. The same dread of disease or its probably consequent annoyances, which has kept the English from crossing the channel, has kept the French in their own country, and here again Switzerland has been the chief sufferer. But even with these allowances the French losses have been considerable. The line from Marseilles north has for some weeks been congested with traffic, and yet the deficit, as compared with the averages of previous years, has exceeded 3,000,000 francs. The four principal lines of France show since the year commenced a loss of 11,000,000 francs, and in the case of the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean company, the bad commencement will be followed by a worse sequel. The loss to these countries has indeed been a gain to our own. We have seen more Americans, and the Americans have seen more of England than in any year since the Franco-Prussian war.—*London News.*

Accepting a Small Retainer.

Smith—Jones refuses to pay a little debt he owes me, and I want you to bring suit against him for the money.

Lawyer—All right; but lawyers, you know, always expect something in the way of a retainer.

Smith—Certainly; how much will it be?

Lawyer—About fifty dollars, I guess.

Smith—Fifty dollars? Why, Jones only owes me twenty-five dollars.

Lawyer—Oh, well, call it twenty-five dollars then.

Fawn-colored camel's hair cloth will be much used for travelling and promenade costumes.

The long pelisse, stylishly made and trimmed, is a favorite autumn wrap for the little maidens.

who had been eating dried-apple pie at a railroad lunch-house, as he held one hand to his shattered jaw and produced a gimlet with the other. "Look at this confounded gimlet. I've found it in your pie and broke half the teeth in my head out on it!" "Well, I declare!" said the landlord. "I wanted to use that yesterday and hunted all over for it. Much obliged, stranger."

"I tell you what," airily exclaimed Perkins as he sat down to the supper-table. "I was in a tight place this afternoon." "Yes, I know you were," interrupted his wife, in clear, cold utterances that cut like a knife. "I saw you coming out of it." And then it flashed across Perkins' mind that he had incidentally stepped into a saloon with a friend for the purpose of examining a doubtful political statement with the aid of a magnifying glass, and his contemplated anecdote slipped from his grasp like money at a summer resort, while the supper was finished and a silence so profound that he could plainly hear a napkin ring.

"I have always preserved my family honor," exclaimed an Arkansaw man, with a violent demonstration, "and I shall suffer no insult at this late day. You have said, sir that I am no gentleman. The consequences will be fatal to one of us." "I did not say that you were not a gentleman," replied a red-headed fellow with a whisky squint. "I said that you were a liar. Ain't that what I said, Jim?" turning to a companion. "That's what you said," Jim replied. "Then, sir, I beg your pardon," said the gentleman. "I simply misunderstood you, but you can not bame a man for upholding the good name of his family. Well, what are you going to take?"

The Best Medicine.

Speaking generally, it is not to the laboratory of the chemist that we should go for our potash salts, but to the laboratory of nature, and more especially to that of the vegetable kingdom. They exist in the green parts of all vegetables. This is illustrated by the manufacture of commercial potash from the ashes of the twigs and leaves of timber-trees. The more succulent the vegetable the greater the quantity of potash it contains, though there are some minor exceptions to this. As I have already stated, we extract and waste a considerable proportion of these salts when we boil vegetables and throw away the potage, which our wiser and more thrifty neighbors save. When we eat raw vegetables, as in salads, we obtain all their potash.

Fruits generally contain important quantities of potash salts, and it is upon these especially that the possible victims of lithic acid should rely. Lemons and grapes contain them most abundantly. Those who can not afford to buy these as articles of daily food may use cream of tartar, which, when genuine, is the natural salt of the grape, thrown down in the manner I shall describe when on the subject of the cookery of wines.—[W. Mattieu Williams, in *Popular Science Monthly*.]

If it is part of prudence to face every claimant, and pay every just demand on your time, your talents, or your heart, always pay; for, first or last, you must pay your entire debt.

on one of the smaller branches, and these keep up a constant distillation of a clear fluid like water, which dropping to the ground, forms a puddle. If a vessel is placed under them in the evening, it contains three or four pints of fluid in the morning. To the question, whence is this fluid derived? the natives reply that the insects suck it out of the tree, and naturalists give the same answer. But Livingston could never find any wound in the bark, or any proof whatever that the insect pierced it. Our common frog hopper, which before it gets its wings, is called "cuckoo spit" and lives on many plants in a froth spittle like fluid, is like the African insect, but as much smaller. Livingstone considers that they derive much of their fluid by absorbing it from the air. He found some of the insects on a castor oil plant, and he cut away about twenty inches of the bark between the insect and the tree, and destroyed all the vegetable tissue which carried the sap from the tree to the place where the insects were distilling. The distillation was then going on at the rate of one drop in every sixty-seven seconds, or five and a half tablespoonsful every twenty-four hours. Next morning although the supplies of sap were stopped, supposing them to come up from the ground, the yield was increased to one drop every five seconds, or one pint, in every twenty-four hours. He then cut the branch so much that it broke, but they still went on at the rate of one drop every five seconds; while another colony of the insects on a branch of the same tree gave a drop every seventeen seconds.—[*The World of Wonder*.]

Power of Music.

It is true that most people are more impressed by what they see than by what they hear; so that it has become a maxim that one learns more readily through the eyes than through the ears. But Nature is a compensating mother. If the eye begets the most lasting impression, the ear imparts the most active stimulant. Few artists who appeal to the eye have so roused the vital action as those who seek the ear. An illustration of the power of sound, expressed in fitting music to fitting words, is given by Ben. Perley Poore in the *Boston Budget*. He says:

"Jenny Lind's ballad-singing carried her Washington audiences by storm. Without in the slightest degree compromising its character of a simple ballad, she infused into every line of it more of the poetic spirit and meaning than the words, upon the mere reading, seemed to contain."

"It was often the outpouring of the soul of a Scottish peasant lassie, yet it was one of the most charming pieces of vocalization ever listened to."

"What wondrous versatility was here! From Bellini to Burns—from the highest reach of Italian art to the most homely simplicity of Scottish minstrelsy—and the same effect produced by each!"

"At the close of her singing the 'Last Rose of Summer,' on one occasion, Mr. Webster, who occupied a front seat, joined in demanding its repetition, and when Miss Lind came on the stage again he rose and bowed low twice, his swarthy features gleaming with gratification. The audience indorsed the compliment with vociferous applause."

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

When a man starts out to paint the town red he does not do it in water-colors.

A crank is a person who does not always agree with you, but has opinions of his own.

"I'm not in politics this year, but I'll take the stump all the same," said a tramp going down into the gutter for a half-smoked cigar.

"Did they feed you well at your boarding-house, Johnny?" asked his fond mother. "Naw, they didn't," responded the youth. "What kind of meals did they give you, dear?" "Oat meals."

"Father, did the boy really stand on the deck?" asked Green's hopeful progeny the other day. "No, Georgie, he stood on three kings and he put the deck up his sleeve to use as occasion demanded."

A paragraph in an article on "The care of clothes" says: "An umbrella should always be carried away from you." It generally is, innocent author; it generally is carried about two miles away.

Little Boy—"Please, I want the doctor to come and see mother." Servant—"Doctor's out; where do you come from?" Little Boy—"What! don't you know me? Why we deal with you. We had a baby from here last week."

"No," wrote a Mills Seminary pupil, "we don't see a man over here once a month, but there's a French girl just come who has a dear little mustache, and we are training her to smoke cigarettes and swear."

"Ma, what are soldiers?" "They are men with arms, dear." "And what is an encampment?" "It is a place where the soldiers go to practice using their arms, my child." "Oh, yes, now I see why they always have an encampment at a place where there are plenty of pretty girls."

Mrs. Blank—"Is your barber a musician?" Mr. Blank—"Not that I know of." Mrs. Blank—"Then why does he call himself a 'professor' if he is not a violinist or something?" Mr. Blank—"Oh, that is because he fiddles around a customer's face in a violent manner with a viol razor."

Husband—It looks like rain, my dear. Don't you think we had better take an umbrella? Wife—Oh, no; we don't want to be bothered with it. Husband—You take great chances, my love. Wife—I know I do. If I were a man I would be a bold speculator. I would never be content, like you, to do an ordinary humdrum business that would just bring me a living. [An hour later, the couple standing in a narrow doorway with the rain beating fiercely in.] Wife—How do I look? Husband—Very much like a speculator, sharer of my joys and sorrows.

"Nothing too good for the Children."

There has been and is much false sentiment thrown away in this world, and in no one direction does this appear to be more strongly the case than in the treatment of children. Perhaps, however, it is not so much in the actual treatment of children as it is in the way in which this subject is treated in literature. There is a certain class of writers who are never

FOREIGN NEWS.

Co-Operative Stores—The Czar in Warsaw—Distress in England—A New Paving, etc., etc.

Only one-seventh of the inhabitants of the 10,000,000 square miles over which Britain's flag floats in triumph are Christians.

The co-operative store system has been in operation in England for nearly a quarter of a century. The "army and navy" stores alone now do a business of \$10,000,000 annually.

Prof. Moseley, an English scientist, has lately discovered a mollusk with a thousand eyes. This shell fish ought to become a much better symbol of watchfulness than the fabled Argus whose hundred eyes are reputed to have been set in the peacock's tail.

The Russian Government is said to have determined upon constructing the remaining 127 miles of the Transcaspian railway to Askabad. The rails have been ordered to be shipped at once from a southern manufactory down the Volga and across the Caspian.

Three hundred camels have recently been imported into Australia, and more are to follow soon. Should they thrive, multiply, and prove useful, it is predicted by enthusiasts that the time may come when they will be introduced into southern Europe, and even into England.

The czar's Warsaw tour was about as dismal a merrymaking as can well be conceived. At the state ball not a word of Polish was permitted, and when one was dropped by accident people looked timidly over their shoulders to see whether it had been overheard. The rooms were only half filled, and cheerless, notwithstanding the decorations.

Prof. Forster, who died recently at Aix-la-Chapelle, was one of the first of European entomologists. His collection of insects stands almost without a rival. It was prepared in the most careful manner and classified in strict accordance with scientific rules. Germans stand in fear lest the collection find its way into the South Kensington museum in London.

The Manchester ship canal bill has now been passed and thrown out twice by both lords and commons committees. Last year it occupied thirty nine days in committee, and was passed, and ten days in the lords, and was thrown out; and this session the lords committee sat forty one days and passed the bill, and the commons have taken twenty days and thrown it out.

Field Marshal Gen. Herwart von Bittenfeld, who died a few weeks ago at the age of 88, was the oldest officer in the German army, and one of the few surviving German veterans who earned their first laurels at Waterloo or Leipsic. He took a leading part in the three great wars of the present emperor, and was present at Alsen, Koniggratz, and Sedan. His age exceeded the emperor's by only one year.

In the 58 provinces of European Russia there are 19,674,723 horses, of which number nearly 6,000,000 are in the military circle of Kazan. Complaint is made that too many horses are exported from

assumed such proportions that all tramps who fail to give a satisfactory account of themselves are now arrested and lodged in Rome pending inquiry. What renders brigand capture the more difficult in many localities, is that the business of brigandism is followed by persons who are not always at it, but at times pursue rural occupations, and are apparently the most harmless of beings. The authorities continue to fail in their attempts to capture the brigand chief Tibuzzi, who operates in the neighborhood of Viterbo. For a long time the farmers and landowners tried to resist his incursions, but now they submit to his terms and pay blackmail to secure a quiet life.

The following curious calculation is published in a Liverpool journal: "A parliamentary statistician has made a curious calculation, which has some bearing on the question, who wastes the time of parliament? Of course the Liberals say it is the Tories. But the real offender is Mr. Gladstone himself. Since he became Premier in 1880 he has spoken for 250 hours in the House of Commons. If every other member of the house exercised the privilege of free speech with the same volubility as the G. O. M., each session would extend to eighty-four thousand hours. In this case the session, which usually runs to six months, would be drawn out to eleven years, sitting twenty-four hours a day, Sunday included."

The twentieth detailed annual report of the registrar general of the marriages, births, and deaths in Ireland for 1883 shows that the marriages registered during the year numbered 21,363, births 118,163, and deaths 96,228. Both absolutely and in proportion to the estimated population the marriages and births are under the annual average for the preceding ten years; the mortality is somewhat in excess of the average. The recorded natural increase of population, or the excess of births over deaths, was 21,935, the loss by emigration amounting to 108,724. There would thus appear to have been a decrease of 86,789 in the population during the year. The estimated population in the middle of the year was 5,015,282.

A new form of paving has been in use in Berlin since last year, which seems to offer some advantages over wood. Layers of brick are put down and impregnated with asphalt. After a short period they lose any air and water they may contain, and absorb from 15 to 20 per cent. of the bituminous matter, becoming remarkably elastic, and capable of resisting pressure and damp. The traffic in the Berlin main thoroughfares is of a heavy character, and it has been found that the new paving lasts much longer than any of the other systems, added to which it offers a sure foothold to horses. Occasionally it is found that after three months' wear some of the bricks crumble into dust, but this is believed to arise from a faulty impregnation with asphalt, and not from any real defect in the system.

Queenly Beauties.

Queen Victoria was very pretty in her youth. She had a lovely bloom, a brow white and smooth as polished ivory, a

children as it is in the way in which this subject is treated in literature. There is a certain class of writers who are never weary of crying out against the "shut up parlor" which is considered too good for the children. Probably these writers are women, but probably they are not mothers, or they would not advocate the rights of children quite so strongly. The fact is, there is neither common sense nor kindness in the idea that no room is too good for children. If you yourself love to have every corner overrun by lawless children, you at least owe it to your friends and calling acquaintances to have one room in which one is not in danger of seating herself upon broken remnants of food, ruining delicate gloves by touching sticky latches and door knobs, or running the risk of a sprained ankle or broken neck by stepping unwarily upon a marble or rolling spool. If one is unwilling to do this much, it were better to hang out a placard at once: "This house is sacred to children. Nobody else has any natural rights or privileges here."—[Boston Courier.]

The Adjustments of Life.

Some humorous philosopher avers that there is a way to have all one wants by simply wanting all one has. One thinks of it now and then in this world where "so easily things go wrong," and where circumstances are so transitory as a kaleidoscope. It is possibly one of the secrets of happy living to attain that equipoise that will not be deflected by the changes of events or the change of mind and mood of other people. Yet this carried out to its fullest results would imply an indifference that is merely insensibility, and what one gained in not feeling pain he would lose in not feeling pleasure. Rather than indifference one might praise the gods for a power of facile judgment to the inevitable; the power of making the best rather than the worst of the daily disappointments of life, and of gathering up the fragments, collecting the broken threads, readjusting the mismatched plans and getting what good one may out of them. Doing this, one finds that the law of compensation prevails. The world is so full of resources, of interest, of people, of plans. You fail of one thing on which your desire was centered, and, behold, a dozen things crowd into its place. Life, like nature, abhors a vacuum. A belief in the divinity of circumstances is a creed of comfort. To do what one can, to do all that is reasonable and right in the furtherance of a cherished plan, and then leave results to come as they will, and accept innovations if we must, is always wise. No loss, or failure, or disappointment is worth sacrificing one's serenity of spirit for or one's best energies for worthy achievement.

Pulled It Herself.

"Will you pull the bell?" she asked of a man across the aisle as the car reached the corner.

"No, madam," he answered with a bow, "but I will be most happy to pull the strap which rings the bell."

"Ah! but never mind! The strap is connected with two bells, and you might stop the wrong end of the car!"

And the look she turned upon him was full of triumph veneered with cayenne pepper.

there are 10,000,000 horses, of which number nearly 6,000,000 are in the military circle of Kazan. Complaint is made that too many horses are exported from the country. The number exported in 1879 was 19,000, in 1880 it was 24,000, in 1882 it was 35,269, and last year the number is believed to have reached 45,000. It is proposed that an export tax of 50 gold rubles on every horse valued at under 300 rubles be imposed.

It is said that Mr. Gamel, of Copenhagen, has offered to send his steamship the *Dijmphana* on a second expedition to the Arctic regions, via Franz Josef's land, subject to the condition that the Danish government will, as a moral acknowledgment of their interest in the expedition, grant a certain sum of money, however small, toward the expedition, under the same chief, Lieut. Hovgaard, of the royal Danish navy, to whom the crew of the *Warna* owed their rescue.

More ascents were made of Mont Blanc last August than in any corresponding August, no less than twenty-two persons having climbed the "monarch of mountains," which is nearly at the rate of one for every week day. Among them was a young English lady, who is an excellent mountaineer. The reported decline of Chamouni as a mountaineering centre led to threatening demonstrations by the guides and *cochers* against the author of an adverse paper on the Alpine club, who prudently left the village, on being warned by a friend, to avoid trouble.

The family house-boats, which are one of the most curious phases of domestic life in China, are as practically proving the old truism that "man wants but little here below," for the "little" which forms the clean and happy home of three generations is a boat about the size of two four-post beds set end to end, and covered in at night by a series of telescopic sliding roof, of bamboo matting. Here man and wife, grand-parents and little children cook, sleep, and worship; for, no matter how small the place, the family altar occupies the place of honor.

A painful instance of the dire distress experienced by some families in Sunderland, England, has just been discovered. A lady who kept a pig in the west part of the town, having her suspicions aroused, kept watch upon her sty, and was surprised at dusk to see a man and woman approach and scoop out the bread, etc., which had been put in for the animal's meal. The lady followed the couple to their home, and, after allowing a few minutes to elapse, followed them into the house, and was surprised to discover five little children sitting around a table and readily devouring the food taken from the pig's trough.

An anti-Semitic Austrian colonel, before marching to the scene of the autumn maneuvers at Auzem, wrote to a medical man there to find him lodging, adding that this must not be in a Jewish family. He received this reply: "Honored Colonel: The contingency which you contemplate with so much dissatisfaction, of having to live with Jews during your stay here, is happily obviated by circumstances. There are only two Jewish families in the town. The Archduke Albert is staying with one of them, the Archduke William with the other, which is my own. I have, etc."

Brigandage around Rome has of late

Queen Victoria was very pretty in her youth. She had a lovely bloom, a brow white and smooth as polished ivory, a very pretty mouth, the short upper lip revealing a set of very fine teeth, and a profusion of light brown hair. Her arms and shoulders might have served as models for a sculptor. Every body knows that the royal beauty at present of the English court is the Princess of Wales, and photographs and portraits have been multiplied to give some idea to the outside world of her flower like and gracious loveliness. Queen Victoria, when she was first married, used to call her affectionately "My lily." But those who have never seen her can have but a faint idea of her peculiar and winning charms, which reside no less in the exquisite and simple grace of her manner and the sweetness of her expression than in the delicate outline of her features and shoulders, or in the lustre of her soft blue eyes.

Probably the most famous royal beauty of our epoch was the Empress Eugenie. Like the Princess of Wales, her great charm in her youth lay in the melancholy sweetness of her expression, and in the refined grace of her manners. Her complexion was lovely, her eyes of a true and transparent azure, and her hair was of a golden chestnut hue that was simply indescribably beautiful. The delicate outlines of her features, and the exquisite poise of her head on her long slender neck and shapely shoulders, have been immortalized on canvas and in marble. When she was first married she used to dress with great elegance and simplicity, her favorite color being delicate lilac. She was so beautiful in those early days that she called forth the chivalrous devotion of every American gentleman in Paris. But she received very little public homage, even in those days.

The Empress of Austria twenty years ago! Ah! how lovely she was, the young and queenly Elizabeth, then in the full pride of her beauty that had won her a place upon the imperial throne of Austria! She was elegantly attired in white muslin, trimmed with valenciennes lace and set off with a sash of violet silk, embroidered with steel. From beneath her small turban hat showed coil upon coil of dark silken braids. The empress is even yet one of the most beautiful princesses of Europe, and certainly she is the queenliest. She looks the empress, every inch of her.

The Empress of Russia, like her sister, the Princess of Wales, is a very lovely woman, *petite* in form, with large, soft brown eyes, and a singularly sweet expression. The third sister, the Princess Thyra, now the Duchess of Cumberland, is on the contrary, very plain.

The daughters of the Princess of Wales are very shy and simple-mannered little girls, quite children yet, though the eldest is nearly sixteen. The youngest of the three, the Princess Maud, gives promise of considerable personal beauty. The eldest girl, the Princess Louise, has a heavy featured, inanimate countenance and is undeniably plain.

I think it must somewhere be written, said Dickens, that the virtues of mothers shall, occasionally, be visited on their children, as well as the sins of the fathers.

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The Napanee Express.

NAPANEE. FRIDAY, OCT. 24. 1884.

—The special session of the British Parliament opened Wednesday. The Queen's speech was short. It urged the passage of the Franchise Bill and eulogized Gordon's defence of Khartoum.

—The Presidential election is waxing warmer as the fourth of November, the day of the great issue approaches. The election in Ohio was accompanied by much bloodshed, and reports of riots are numerous. It has been pretty clearly shown that Butler is in league with the Republicans to defeat Cleveland, and as a result his "boom" is about over. Cleveland's prospects are brightening every day.

—The Tichborne Claimant having served his term of imprisonment has been discharged on parole, and now the daily papers are resurrecting the evidence in this celebrated trial. Let them give us a rest. People have hardly yet survived the large doses of evidence case forced upon them years ago.

—The Standard has a queer idea of an equal division. It said last week that the gains and losses at the Napanee voters' count were about equally divided between the two parties. Forty-two Reform gains to ten Conservative is what our clever contemporary calls an equal division. The Standard's Faber pusher should attend the Mechanics' Institute evening classes and try and abstract some knowledge of arithmetic from the boy who does the sweeping.

—Then, to show how unfair it can be in reporting a voters' count, it gives a list of voters who were struck off the list, all of whom were Reformers. Notwithstanding that over three times that number of Conservatives were struck off not one of their names was published. In order that our readers may see the result of the proceedings we give in another column a complete list of the gains and losses on both

the Tory organist to howl about Reform partizan officials.

—It is worthy of note that during the eighteen or twenty years Mr. John Webster held the office of town assessor, a voters' list court never occupied more than a couple of hours and the appeals were very few. This year the Tories accomplished the dismissal of Mr. Webster and put in a man whom they thought they could handle. The result looks very much as if their confidence was not misplaced. That they have been balked in their little game is highly creditable to the few energetic Reformers who fought the issue. The motive which led to Mr. Webster's dismissal is now quite plain. It was not that his assessment of last year was bad, as they alleged, but because they wanted to be in a position to fix things for themselves this year. The result is that the town has been put to a large expense in getting the list restored to something like an honest one, and the taxes on several lots have been lost altogether. The men who voted for Mr. Webster's removal should be marked next January by every fair-minded and honest ratepayer.

—The Scott Act is sweeping everything in the shape of opposition before it in the counties where it is submitted. Simcoe adopted it by over 1,100 majority, the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry have also adopted it, and yesterday it was voted upon in Peel. Bruce, Prince Edward, Huron and Dufferin will vote on the 30th inst. York County N.B., takes a vote on the same day. Norfolk pronounces on the question on November 11th. The Scott Act was defeated yesterday in Peel by a majority of 156.

—A correspondent in another column accuses one of our contemporaries of "bearing" the barley market, and insinuates that it is paid for such services by dealers. The writer must be mistaken. No journal laying claim to respectability could be bribed to do injury to the great majority of its readers. It does not follow that because a journal urges farmers to sell their grain in the fall that it has yielded to any improper overtures. The price of grain, taken one year with another, is invariably better at this season than later on, and the farmer who has made a point of selling early throughout his life has left his neighbor, who is always waiting for a rise, far behind in the race for riches. Then there is another important consideration. When farmers refuse to sell at the proper season, they invariably refuse to pay their accounts past due, and the result is that the business man who has entered into obligations with the wholesale dealers is unable to meet his paper, and in many instances suffers financial ruin. It would be much better all round if farmers would sell sufficient at the proper season at least to pay their store accounts. This holding over grain and making merchants wait for payment of accounts long past due is a much too one-sided transaction to be strictly honest.

That Road Matter.

MR. EDITOR,—In your issue of the 10th I perceived a letter having the signature of Mr. Thos. Tapping, in which he attempts to corroborate "Antler's" letter that previously appeared in one of your local contemporaries. As I have no fancy to accede to his incredulity, I hope you will allow me to say a few words in response. He says he can vouch for the truth of every word the letters contained. As none of the letters having the signature of Antler had any reference to

TOWN COUNCIL.

Twenty-one free and intelligent electors played the role of spectators at the meeting of the Council on Monday evening and devoured with eager interest the words of wisdom which fell from the lips of the members of the august body.

The attendance of the members was very good, there being present:—His Worship the Mayor, Wilder Joy; Reeve Wilson, Dep. Reeve Carscallen and Couns. Stevens, Henwood, Perry, Lane, Rose, Carson, Gibbard and Wallace.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

A petition for a sidewalk on the south side of Graham to Bridge Street was referred to the Street Committee with power to act.

A communication from Alex. Craig & Son was read. The firm stated that for the past eleven years they had kept in repair a road leading to their mill, at their own expense. They were willing to forego the entire amount of their expenditure previous to the present year, some \$35, but asked to be allowed the sum of \$15, expended during 1884.

John Gibbard and a number of others petitioned for a crossing on Centre Street.—Referred to Street Committee.

Moved by Coun. GIBBARD, seconded by Reeve WILSON, that the Street Committee report upon the communication of Messrs. Craig & Son.

Coun. LANE asked if the law would bear out the Council in making the expenditure asked for on a private road. If it was a public street he would like to know it.

Reeve WILSON said if this was not a public street, he would like to know what constitutes one. The one in question had been in use for thirty years.

The motion was carried.

An application for a remission of taxes was laid over indefinitely.

A letter was read from Mr. S. Gibson, stating that he had erected 317 rods of wire fence, and asking that he be paid the sum of \$104 as previously agreed upon by the Council.

A guarantee was enclosed on behalf of the Cartwright estate, binding the owners to keep a wire fence on the premises referred to for a period of ten years.

The Clerk laid on the table a copy of the "transient traders' by-law" of the town of Cornwall, which was read, and after some discussion relative to the advisability of protecting our resident merchants from outsiders, the by-law was referred to the Committee on Printing and By-laws, with a view to considering whether the by-law in force here might not be improved. Power was given them to employ legal advice if necessary.

The Street Committee presented a report, regarding the wire fence alluded to by Mr. Gibson in his communication, and they recommended, in view of the fact that the fence was not as good as one as the Council had expected would be erected; that only twenty cents per rod be allowed instead of thirty-two, as previously agreed upon.

A long discussion then arose on the question, some of the members justifying the report, while others claimed that as the object which the Council desired had been effected by the erection of the present fence, and as a guarantee had been given for ten years, that body had no right to refuse to carry out its agreement.

An amendment was offered to the effect that the Council pay the amount in full, after which another amendment was made to pay Mr. Gibson \$100 in full of account.

The resolution and amendments were voted down and the amendments were again offered in other form, but met a fate similar to that of their predecessors. A dead-lock having ensued, the question was laid over for future consideration.

The Street Committee recommended the payment of their pay list, amounting to \$97.37, which was agreed to.

Mr. R. Richardson made verbal application for remission of poundage fees on some of his geese. He was informed that as the geese were at large, the Council could do nothing in the premises.

The following accounts were passed:—

Town of Cornwall for by-law	\$1.00
Wilder Joy, selecting jurors	4.00
Ira Kimmerly, do	4.00
P. Embury, do	4.00
S. W. Pringle, work on town hall	3.95
Jas. Baldwin, cutting wood	1.00
G. N. W. Telegraph Company	55

The Council then adjourned.

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names was published. In order that our readers may see the result of the proceedings we give in another column a complete list of the gains and losses on both sides.

—The Standard went out of its way last week to make a most unwarranted attack upon Mr. Mills, acting County Registrar. It charged him with having been guilty of favoritism to Reformers in the matter of given evidence without exacting witness fees and producing documents without subpoena, and thereupon indicted a nice little homily on the iniquity of public officials making an exhibition of partizanship. The charges are entirely false. Mr. Mills was subpoenaed to give evidence by the Reformers, and for every search he was paid full fees. It is true that he did not exact witness fees in every instance, no more than did many other gentlemen who gave evidence. But that was his own business. He was entitled to a fee for every call upon him had he cared to exact it. His intention was to treat both sides alike in the matter of witness fees, and he would not have departed from that resolve even in one instance had he not been roundly abused and misrepresented by the rather excitable counsel who represented Messrs. Holmes, Davis & Co., for the great Tory party. Had he been treated with even common civility he would not have claimed the fee which was due him. It is needless for us here to enter any defence of Mr. Mills. Reformers and Conservatives alike who have had business at the Registry Office have always found him courteous, obliging and painstaking in the performance of duties. His position did not come to him as "the reward of political services or the spoil of party triumph," as the Tory organ falsely states. Politics had nothing whatever to do with his appointment—he was placed there solely on account of his capability to fill the position, and he has performed the duties well. The official the organ had in view when it thus described the way in which he was shelved was of much recent appointment, and he is not connected with the county buildings either.

—If the Tory organ was at all honest in its condemnation of partizan officials it should have devoted some of its space to the town and county clerks. The former was almost constantly bobbing in and out of the witness box at the call of the counsel for the Conservatives (without receiving witness fees either), and the nature of his evidence was such as would lead people to suppose that he had constituted himself a board of valuers as it were, whose duty it was to increase the valuation of the property of Tories and lower that of Reformers. Mr. Embury, no doubt, was conscientious in the matter; indeed we would be loth to charge him to the contrary, but ordinary discretion should have told him that a person occupying the position he does should avoid placing himself in the position of being even suspected of partizanship. Then as to Mr. F. A. Roe. His efforts to retain his name on the East ward list was the subject of general comment. He testified that he had for three years paid the rent on a property there, and had received receipts therefor. Mr. Forward, the agent for the Cartwright estate, testified that the lease was in Mr. A. H. Roe's name and he had never given a receipt to the son, and in fact the last payment was made by Mr. Roe while he was ill and sitting in his carriage on the street. This contradictory evidence led the Judge to adjourn the case to give Mr. F. A. Roe an opportunity of producing the receipts, but the young man being unable to procure even one his name was struck off the list. After this exhibition surely it does not lie with

vouch for the truth of every word the letters contained. As none of the letters having the signature of Antler had any reference to me, I mean to make no reply relative to them. The libellous letter I alluded to had the signature of "A Taxpayer," whom I believe to be Mr. Tapping. In that letter it was alleged that my gang consisted of four men altogether, on July 11th, on Barrie Road No. 2. Now, as the Barrie Road work was the most important paragraph in his letter in the issue of yours of the 10th inst., my object is to promulgate the truth concerning the subject, and confirm the fact by the testimony of three of the workmen who were on the road the aforesaid date.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that on the 11th of July we were employed by Mr. Kennelly, on Barrie Road No. 2, and we can testify that the whole constructing party consisted of twelve men.

Signed, ROBT. ARMSTRONG.
ED. KENNELLY.
THOS. GUINA.

In one of my letters I said there were thirteen men. As I counted the names there appeared thirteen, but in carrying forward the days I found the week of the 11th Jeremiah Kennelly was absent. This, of course, was the cause of the mistake. What but mischief can his object be? His calumny can do me no harm in this locality. The people are well acquainted with all the workmen that laboured on Barrie Road No. 2. Perhaps the gentleman's views may be to arm the opposition by his incredible writings. But this he cannot do by any means as the prudent electors of the township of Barrie know better than to be deluded by him.

Now, in reference to a respectable lady to whom he says I have included in my dirty slang. To this lady I have not in any way given the slightest offence, nor even was it my intention to offer her any insult. I feel confident that I have done her an honor in saying she did not appreciate his amorous advances. I am sure the neighbors will exonerate her in the prudent course she pursued. It is an old proverb "Love is blind," but as the days swiftly glide by we see it has a change in its place of abode; and as the gentleman had no fascinating quality, the lady made a very wise selection.

I hope the gentleman in future will more strictly adhere to the truth and not pay so much attention to "fish stories."

Yours truly, JOHN KENNELLY.

NOTE.—This correspondence has been much too long. Mr. Kennelly has quite clearly established the fact that he had the dozen men at work, and that is all the public is interested in. This must close the discussion. We cannot afford space for personal wrangling.—[Ed. THE EXPRESS.

SALE REGISTER.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH.—Mr. Jas. Storms, auctioneer, has received instructions from Mr. J. N. Alcombrack, lot 24, 7th concession, Ernestown, to sell at his residence all his farm stock, implements and household furniture. Sale commences at 12 o'clock, noon.

MONDAY, NOV. 3.—Mr. R. McCay will sell on Monday, Nov. 3, the farm, stock and implements of Mr. Geo. Cook, at the latter's residence, lot 31, 1st con, Ernestown. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, noon.

TUESDAY, NOV. 4.—Mr. J. S. Miller will sell on Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 1 p. m. sharp, the farm, stock and implements belonging to Mr. Thomas Laveck, of lot 23, 4th con, Camden. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

[Parties getting their sale bills printed at this office are entitled to a notice similar to the above free of charge.

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IN THE COURT OF APPEAL FOR ONTARIO.

The Controverted Elections Act of Ontario.

ELECTION FOR THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LENNOX HOLD-EN ON THE TWENTY-FIRST AND TWENTY-EIGHTH DAYS OF AUGUST, A. D., 1884.

The Petition of Andrew Gordon Hamilton, of the Town of Napanee, in the County of Lennox and Addington, Insurance Agent, whose name is subscribed.

1. Your Petitioner is a person who had a right to vote and who did vote at the Election to which this Petition relates.

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The Napanee Express.

NAPANEE. FRIDAY, OCT. 24, 1884.

—The special session of the British Parliament opened Wednesday. The Queen's speech was short. It urged the passage of the Franchise Bill and eulogized Gordon's defence of Khartoum.

—The Presidential election is waxing warmer as the fourth of November, the day of the great issue approaches. The election in Ohio was accompanied by much bloodshed, and reports of riots are numerous. It has been pretty clearly shown that Butler is in league with the Republicans to defeat Cleveland, and as a result his "boom" is about over. Cleveland's prospects are brightening every day.

—The Tichborne Claimant having served his term of imprisonment has been discharged on parole, and now the daily papers are resurrecting the evidence in this celebrated trial. Let them give us a rest. People have hardly yet survived the large doses of evidence case forced upon them years ago.

—The Standard has a queer idea of an equal division. It said last week that the gains and losses at the Napanee voters' count were about equally divided between the two parties. Forty-two Reform gains to ten Conservative is what our clever contemporary calls an equal division. The Standard's Faber pusher should attend the Mechanics' Institute evening classes and try and abstract some knowledge of arithmetic from the boy who does the sweeping.

—Then, to show how unfair it can be in reporting a voters' count, it gives a list of voters who were struck off the list, all of whom were Reformers. Notwithstanding that over three times that number of Conservatives were struck off not one of their names was published. In order that our readers may see the result of the proceedings we give in another column a complete list of the gains and losses on both

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—It is worthy of note that during the eighteen or twenty years Mr. John Webster held the office of town assessor, a voters list court never occupied more than a couple of hours and the appeals were very few. This year the Tories accomplished the dismissal of Mr. Webster and put in a man whom they thought they could handle. The result looks very much as if their confidence was not misplaced. That they have been balked in their little game is highly creditable to the few energetic Reformers who fought the issue. The motive which led to Mr. Webster's dismissal is now quite plain. It was not that his assessment of last year was bad, as they alleged, but because they wanted to be in a position to fix things for themselves this year. The result is that the town has been put to a large expense in getting the list restored to something like an honest one, and the taxes on several lots have been lost altogether. The men who voted for Mr. Webster's removal should be marked next January by every fair-minded and honest ratepayer.

—The Scott Act is sweeping everything in the shape of opposition before it in the counties where it is submitted. Simcoe adopted it by over 1,100 majority, the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry have also adopted it, and yesterday it was voted upon in Peel. Bruce, Prince Edward, Huron and Dufferin will vote on the 30th inst. York County N.B., takes a vote on the same day. Norfolk pronounces on the question on November 11th. The Scott Act was defeated yesterday in Peel by a majority of 156.

—A correspondent in another column accuses one of our contemporaries of "bearing" the barley market, and insinuates that it is paid for such services by dealers. The writer must be mistaken. No journal laying claim to respectability could be bribed to do injury to the great majority of its readers. It does not follow that because a journal urges farmers to sell their grain in the fall that it has yielded to any improper overtures. The price of grain, taken one year with another, is invariably better at this season than later on, and the farmer who has made a point of selling early throughout his life has left his neighbor, who is always waiting for a rise, far behind in the race for riches. Then there is another important consideration. When farmers refuse to sell at the proper season, they invariably refuse to pay their accounts past due, and the result is that the business man who has entered into obligations with the wholesale dealers is unable to meet his paper, and in many instances suffers financial ruin. It would be much better all round if farmers would sell sufficient at the proper season at least to pay their store accounts. This holding over grain and making merchants wait for payment of accounts long past due is a much too one-sided transaction to be strictly honest.

That Road Matter.

MR. EDITOR,—In your issue of the 10th I perceived a letter having the signature of Mr Thos. Tapping, in which he attempts to corroborate "Antler's" letter that previously appeared in one of your local contemporaries. As I have no fancy to accede to his incredulity, I hope you will allow me to say a few words in response. He says he can vouch for the truth of every word the letters contained. As none of the letters having the signature of Antler had any reference to

TOWN COUNCIL.

Twenty-one free and intelligent electors played the role of spectators at the meeting of the Council on Monday evening and devoured with eager interest the words of wisdom which fell from the lips of the members of the august body.

The attendance of the members was very good, there being present:—His Worship the Mayor, Wilder Joy; Reeve Wilson, Dep. Reeve Carscallen and Couns. Stevens, Henwood, Perry, Lane, Rose, Carson, Gibbard and Wallace.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

A petition for a sidewalk on the south side of Graham to Bridge Street was referred to the Street Committee with power to act.

A communication from Alex. Craig & Son was read. The firm stated that for the past eleven years they had kept in repair a road leading to their mill, at their own expense. They were willing to forego the entire amount of their expenditure previous to the present year, some \$35, but asked to be allowed the sum of \$15, expended during 1884.

John Gibbard and a number of others petitioned for a crossing on Centre Street.—Referred to Street Committee.

Moved by Coun. GIBBARD, seconded by Reeve WILSON, that the Street Committee report upon the communication of Messrs. Craig & Son.

Coun. LANE asked if the law would bear out the Council in making the expenditure asked for on a private road. If it was a public street he would like to know it.

Reeve WILSON said if this was not a public street, he would like to know what constitutes one. The one in question had been in use for thirty years.

The motion was carried.

An application for a remission of taxes was laid over indefinitely.

A letter was read from Mr. S. Gibson, stating that he had erected 317 rods of wire fence, and asking that he be paid the sum of \$104 as previously agreed upon by the Council.

A guarantee was enclosed on behalf of the Cartwright estate, binding the owners to keep a wire fence on the premises referred to for a period of ten years.

The Clerk laid on the table a copy of the "transient traders' by-law" of the town of Cornwall, which was read, and after some discussion relative to the advisability of protecting our resident merchants from outsiders, the by-law was referred to the Committee on Printing and By-laws, with a view to considering whether the by-law in force here might not be improved. Power was given them to employ legal advice if necessary.

The Street Committee presented a report regarding the wire fence alluded to by Mr. Gibson in his communication, and they recommended, in view of the fact that the fence was not as good a one as the Council had expected, would be erected; that only twenty cents per rod be allowed instead of thirty-two, as previously agreed upon.

A long discussion then arose on the question, some of the members justifying the report, while others claimed that as the object which the Council desired had been effected by the erection of the present fence, and as a guarantee had been given for ten years, that body had no right to refuse to carry out its agreement.

An amendment was offered to the effect that the Council pay the amount in full, after which another amendment was made to pay Mr. Gibson \$100 in full of account.

The resolution and amendments were voted down and the amendments were again offered in other form, but met a fate similar to that of their predecessors. A dead-lock having ensued, the question was laid over for future consideration.

The Street Committee recommended the payment of their pay list, amounting to \$97.37, which was agreed to.

Mr. R. Richardson made verbal application for remission of poundage fees on some of his geese. He was informed that as the geese were at large, the Council could do nothing in the premises.

The following accounts were passed:—
Town of Cornwall for by-law..... \$1.00
Wilder Joy, selecting jurors..... 4.00
Ira Kimmerly, do..... 4.00
P. Embury, do..... 4.00
S. W. Pringle, work on town hall..... 3.95
Jas. Baldwin, cutting wood..... 1.00
G. N. W. Telegraph Company..... 55
The Council then adjourned.

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—If the Tory organ was at all honest in its condemnation of partizan officials it should have devoted some of its space to the town and county clerks. The former was almost constantly bobbing in and out of the witness box at the call of the counsel for the Conservatives (without receiving witness fees either), and the nature of his evidence was such as would lead people to suppose that he had constituted himself a board of valuers as it were, whose duty it was to increase the valuation of the property of Tories and lower that of Reformers. Mr. Embury, no doubt, was conscientious in the matter; indeed we would be loth to charge him to the contrary, but ordinary discretion should have told him that a person occupying the position he does should avoid placing himself in the position of being even suspected of partizanship. Then as to Mr. F.A. Roe. His efforts to retain his name on the East ward list was the subject of general comment. He testified that he had for three years paid the rent on a property there, and had received receipts therefor. Mr. Forward, the agent for the Cartwright estate, testified that the lease was in Mr. A.H. Roe's name and he had never given a receipt to the son, and in fact the last payment was made by Mr. Roe while he was ill and sitting in his carriage on the street. This contradictory evidence led the Judge to adjourn the case to give Mr. F. A. Roe an opportunity of producing the receipts, but the young man being unable to procure even one his name was struck off the list. After this exhibition surely it does not lie with

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We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that on the 11th of July we were employed by Mr. Kennelly, on Barrie Road No. 2, and we can testify that the whole constructing party consisted of twelve men.

Signed, ROBT. ARMSTRONG.
ED. KENNELLY.
THOS. GUINA.

In one of my letters I said there were thirteen men. As I counted the names there appeared thirteen, but in carrying forward the days I found the week of the 11th Jeremiah Kennelly was absent. This, of course, was the cause of the mistake. What but mischief can his object be? His calumny can do me no harm in this locality. The people are well acquainted with all the workmen that laboured on Barrie Road No. 2. Perhaps the gentleman's views may be to arm the opposition by his incredible writings. But this he cannot do by any means as the prudent electors of the township of Barrie know better than to be deluded by him.

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Yours truly, JOHN KENNELLY.

NOTE.—This correspondence has been much too long. Mr. Kennelly has quite clearly established the fact that he had the dozen men at work, and that is all the public is interested in. This must close the discussion. We cannot afford space for personal wrangling.—[Ed. THE EXPRESS.

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NAPANEE VOTERS' LIST.

A Gain of Thirty-two for the Reformers.
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WEST WARD.

REFORM GAINS.	TORY GAINS.
Fred Schryver put off	Belyat Conger put off
Andrew Alexander do	O. L. Herring do
E. R. Martin do	George Herring do
Henry Good do	James Herring do
G. L. Allingham do	Michael Shean do
David Mills do	S. R. Miller do
J. H. Downey do	Thos Trimble do
Wm. Watson do	Robt. Thompson do
Wm. Boyes do	Jas. McCay put on—9
W. H. Light do	
G. C. Baker do	
R. A. Sagar do	
John Dickens do	
Robt. Sagar do	
Paul Peterson do	
Chas. Pillard do	
Henry Savage do	
John Grant put on	
Wesley Asselstine do	
H. C. Parks do	
Peter Bristol do	
J. B. Vanalstine do	
Geo. Detlor do	
John Good do	—24

CENTRE WARD.

REFORM GAINS.	TORY GAINS.
Jas. Farrell, put on	John Brandon, put on
Patk. Hayes, do	W. J. Dunlop, do
Justice Bartles, put off	R. D. Gamble, do
James Bennett, do	O. L. Herring, put off
R. N. Huffman, do	Fred McDonald, do
T. W. Huffman, do	Geo. Inwood, do
Chas. A. Bruton, do	
Arthur Downey, do	
Wm. McCallum, do	
Ad. Fullerton, do	
C. F. Mills, do	
Geo. A. Parrott, do	
A. M. Parrott, do	
Rich. Hamilton, do	
A. E. Bartlett, do	
A. S. Kimmerly, do	
R. A. Belliwell, do	
Frank Blair, do	
C. W. Gordon, do	
Chas. Baker, do	
J. G. Smith, do	
Benj. Leary, do	
Chauncy Lapum, do	
Jno. Robinson, do	
Robt. Sharp, do	
Wm. Burns, do	
Chas. Paisley, do	
Geo. A. Blewett, do—28	

EAST WARD.

REFORM GAINS.	TORY GAINS.
L. F. Fralick, put on	John Grant, put off
F. A. Roe, do	H. T. Forward, do
A. J. Empey, do	O. L. Herring, do
E. S. Lapum, do	Jas. Herring, do
Wm. Conger, do	S. R. Miller, do
Ezra W. Huff, do	W. H. Perry, do
Wm. Norris, do	Orten Herring, do

The following list shows the gains in a Parliamentary election:—

REFORM GAINS.	TORY GAINS.
Fred Schryver,	W. J. Dunlop,
Justice Bartles,	O. L. Herring,
James Bennett,	Michael Shean,
Andrew Alexander,	R. D. Gamble,
E. R. Martin,	Fred McDonald,
Wesley Asselstine,	Thos. Trimble,
Henry Good,	Jas. McCay,
G. L. Allingham,	W. H. Perry,
R. N. Huffman,	Geo. Inwood,
T. W. Huffman,	Orlin Herring,—10.
David Mills,	

WEDDING AT DESERONTO.

An Event of Unusual Interest—A Fitting Presentation—Tour Eastward.

The Church of the Redeemer, Deseronto, was crowded on Wednesday by the friends and relatives assembled to witness the marriage of Miss Louise Rathbun, daughter of H. B. Rathbun, Esq., of the Rathbun Company, to Edward C. French, son of Rev. E. W. French, D. D., of Jersey City, N. J. The handsome church was prettily decorated with natural flowers and looked exceedingly attractive. The company as they arrived were ushered to their seats by Dr. Clinton and Messrs. Chas. A. Millener, F. W. Powell and Harry Young. At the appointed hour the bride entered, leaning on the arm of her father and followed by her bridesmaids, Miss Topp and Miss Blaikie, of Toronto, the groom being supported by his brother, Mr. Albert French and Mr. W. B. Rathbun. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. J. Craig, M. A., pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Dr. French, father of the groom. The bride looked charming. At the close of the marriage ceremony an interesting episode occurred—the presentation of an elegantly bound family bible to the wedded couple by the board of managers on behalf of the congregation. This was in accordance with the time-honored custom, the wedding being the first, however, that had taken place in the church. After the event the party, together with a large number of invited friends, repaired to the residence of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous dejeuner was held. As the bride was a great favorite with a large circle of friends, the bridal presents were unusually numerous, costly and elegant, and were greatly admired. Mr. and Mrs. French took the Grand Trunk express going east for a very extended tour. They visit Quebec, Halifax, Boston and other points. They are followed, it is unnecessary to add, by the congratulations and best wishes of all the residents of Deseronto and a host of friends elsewhere. There were a large number of guests present, including ex-Mayor McMurrich, of Toronto, the Misses McMurrich, and Judge Wilkison and wife, of Napanee.

Napanee Market.

Napanee, Oct. 24, 1884.

Fall wheat, per bushel.....	\$0 60 to \$0 70
Spring wheat, do	0 70 0 80
Barley, do	0 50 0 55
Oats, do	0 25 0 30
Peas, do	0 55 0 60
Rye, do	0 50 0 55
Onions, do	1 00 0 00
do per bag.....	0 40 0 50
Potatoes, per bag.....	0 30 0 50
Flour, fall, per 100 lbs.....	2 00 3 25
Flour, spring, per 100 lbs.....	2 25 2 50
Corn	0 75 0 75
Butter per tub.....	0 16 0 18
Butter, per lb.	0 20 0 22
Cheese "	0 12 1/2 0 12
Lard "	0 11 0 12
Tallow "	0 50 0 05
Musk Rats,	0 10 0 11
Beaver, per lb.....	1 50 1 60
Lamb per lb.....	0 06 0 07
Mutton, per lb.....	0 07 0 08
Wool, per lb.....	0 16 0 00
Calfskins, per lb.....	0 08 0 10
Eggs per doz.....	0 00 0 16
Bacon, per 100 lbs.....	12 00 13 60
Mess pork	0 10 0 11
Beef hides.....	4 50 5 00
Deeken skins.....	0 40 0 50
Pelts.....	0 40 0 50
Lambskins.....	0 50 0 60
Bran per ton.....	14 00 15 00
Shorts "	20 00 20 00
Hav. "	8 00 9 00
Clover Hay per ton.....	4 00 5 00
Mink Skin.....	0 60 1 00
Fox "	0 50 1 00
Turkey	0 75 1 25
Cheese	0 25 0 50
Chickens	25 0 30
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Chauncey Lapum,
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Wm. Burns,
Chas. Paisley,
Geo. Detlor,
John Good,
Wm. Norris,
Henry Savage,—42

HYMENIAL.

Stratton—Boyd.

And still the rage for weddings goes on. This time the happy couple are Harvey J. Stratton of Richmond, and Miss Sara J. Boyd of Thurlow. On Wednesday, the 15th, there were seen wending their way from Brighton, Belleville, Richmond, Kingston, Madoc and elsewhere, many friends of both parties, who were greeted with a cheerful, happy smile at the home of the bride's mother in Thurlow. By 11 a.m., the time set for the ceremony, the residence was packed with delighted guests. Rev. J. B. Stratton, uncle of the groom, officiated in his usual happy style. Mr. Robt. Boyd acted a groomsman, and Miss Maggie Stratton as bridesmaid. The ladies were both neatly attired. The many presents were most splendid, and yet, not better by any means than deserved. We append a partial list:—

Officiating clergyman, a beautiful embossed certificate framed in gilt: Fred Cobb, silver cake basket; Willie Cobb, parlor lamp; Mrs. Cobb, fruit dish; Mrs. Brown, cake plate; Miss Sprague sauce dish; groom, parlor lamps; bride's mother, sett of silver spoons, knives and forks; Willie Boyd, doz sauce dishes; Ida Stratton, fancy cup and saucer; Wm. Fletcher, fruit dish; J. F. Stickney, bedspread; Mr. and Mrs. Colter, bedspread and table linen; Mr. Howe, large water pitcher; Mrs. York, fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. G. Henderson, silver pickle dish; Mr. and Mrs. Boldrick, silver pickle cruet; Mr. and Mrs. J. Sine, parlor lamp; Mrs. Crindass, water pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. R. Sagar, silver pickle cruet; bridesmaid, silver butter knife; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stratton, looking glass and bracket; groomsman, hand satchel; Jessie Spence, silver napkin ring; Elijah Colter, cake plate; Mr. Concer, broom.

After a most sumptuous repast the guests dispersed, many of the older ones thinking if they were only young again how differently their weddings would be celebrated. We wish "the two made one" a most prosperous voyage o'er the sea of time.

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Fluid Lightning is the only cure for Toothache Headache, Earache and Neuralgia. It does not take a day or an hour to cure it, but in less than a minute all pain is gone. Thousands have tested its merits within the last year. Fluid Lightning is also a positive cure for Rheumatism. The worst possible cases have been permanently cured in one week. Price, 25c., at A. T. Grange's and T. A. Huffman's drug stores, Napanee; also, at James Aylsworth's drug store, Tamworth.

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BIRTHS.

SWEET.—Near Fisher, Minn., on Oct. 11, 1884, the wife of Mr. E. A. Sweet, formerly of Selby, of a son. The mother and child are doing well.

RYAN.—In Bay City, Mich., on Oct. 2nd, the wife of Mr. D. L. Ryan of a son.

JENNINGS.—In South Napanee, on Monday, Oct. 20th, the wife of Fred Jennings of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

SMITH—WATTS.—At Odessa, on Monday Oct. 15, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. J. Leach, Mr. Henry Smith to Rebecca Ann, eldest daughter of Geo. Watts, Esq.

DEATHS.

CARROLL.—In Richmond, on Oct. 16th, Bridget Carroll, aged 68 years.

CALDER.—In Napanee, on Oct. 17th, infant child of Mr. Wm. Calder.

AUCTION SALE OF AN AGRICULTURAL ENGINE.

There will be sold by public auction on

Saturday, November 1st, 1884,

At 2 o'clock p.m. at

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guaranteed, and we can save you Two Dollars any time you call by buying
your Fall and Winter Suit from us.

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SIDNEY'S FOLLY

CHAPTER XX.—CONTINUED.

Again there was a slight movement of the thin firmly-set lips, and this time it was accompanied by a gleam of swift amusement in the keen dark eyes which was equally quick to pass away. No doubt he thought, this beautiful girl had sent for him for some slight matter—to watch a rival's movements or a husband's—and the whole thing would turn out a storm in a tea-cup.

"Such matters are not unusual with us," he said calmly.

"I suppose not," she answered, looking at him with something like curiosity mingled with awe.

"On the contrary, they are of daily occurrence," he pursued. "Will you allow me to ask one question, madam?"

"Certainly. What is it?" she said, with a flash of terror in her beautiful eyes.

"The letter received, desiring my attendance, was signed 'Sidney Daunt,'" he said, taking out a little note-book and glancing at it. "May I ask who the writer was?"

"I was the writer."

"But the name is a man's name," he said, quietly.

"It is mine, nevertheless," she rejoined, with some haughtiness. "I am Sidney Daunt."

He made a slight bow, and there was another short pause.

"There is one thing I wish to ask you," she said nervously. "I should like the object of your visits here to remain a perfect secret; I do not wish any member of my household to suspect who you are, or the reasons for your visits here—that that is, if you are obliged to repeat this one."

"You need be under no apprehensions on that score," he said gravely. "I need scarcely say that we are used to secrecy."

Another slight pause.

"It is a very painful matter," Sidney began, her lips quivering a little; "and I can't give you many particulars. Personally I—I know no more of the matter than any body can know, except that I am assured of the innocence of one person whom others think guilty."

The man looked at her more attentively now.

"May I ask how you possess that assurance?" he said.

"By my knowledge of the character of the accused," she replied. "I know that it is impossible that he should have committed the crime of which he is thought to be guilty."

"I am afraid that very unlikely persons turn out to be guilty, madam," he remarked, with more interest than he had yet shown; and, drawing up a chair, he sat down, and leaning forward, he said gravely—"Will you tell me all you can, madam? My time and your own too, I dare say, are not without their value; and, if you wish the members of your household to remain ignorant of my presence here, it will be necessary to make my visits as short as possible."

"Yes," she said nervously. "I think it will be wiser not to come here again. I will meet you somewhere, if it is neces-

It applies equally well in our case. Unless you tell me the whole truth and all your suspicions, I can do but little."

"I will answer any questions," she murmured faintly.

"Thank you. Then do you think that Mr. Greville—that was the name—I think I am not mistaken—was in love with Mrs. Rutledge?"

"I think so," Sidney murmured.

"Therefore her marriage was a great disappointment to him?"

"Yes."

"So great that he was not able to hide it from you, to whom he was engaged?"

"He did not try to do so. We were very old friends."

"The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of wilful murder against him. They could not do otherwise; the proofs were very strong against him."

"But he was innocent."

"And yet he ran away, and Mrs. Rutledge disappeared at the same time!" the man remarked, with a smile. "Mrs. Daunt, I do not wish to distress you—on the contrary, my only object is to spare you pain and suspense. Let the matter rest; it will be better for Mr. Greville and all concerned. He has had a wonderful escape from punishment; the inquiry and search after him must have been of a very lukewarm kind, or he would have been found long ere this. The matter has sunk into oblivion now. Do not reopen it."

"You think him guilty," she said passionately; "but I am convinced of his innocence. Oh, sir,"—she stretched out her hands with a little appealing gesture—"you do not know how gentle he was, how incapable of doing such a crime! He was as innocent of it as you are. I cannot give up this endeavor to prove his innocence," she added, so earnestly that tears rose in her beautiful eyes. "No one ever tried before; he had not one friend here to defend him. His father believed him guilty. I could do nothing then; and all these long months he has been hunted and in misery and concealment. But now I am rich, I have plenty of money, and I cannot remain passive. Will you help me? Ah, do not make up your mind to his guilt! Surely your experience has taught you how very often innocent people have been condemned, and even proofs are not always to be depended upon? Do help, me sir; I am so powerless alone!"

"But your husband?" he said gently, touched by her passionate distress and by the lovely appealing face.

"He will not help me," she answered, weeping. "He believes him guilty; besides, was he—Frank—not my lover once?" she added passionately. "Can you expect my husband to help him?"

"Ah, true!" he answered gravely. "I had forgotten."

"Think what his life has been!" she continued eagerly, seeing that her words had touched him. "He is innocent, and he suffers as if he were guilty. He has no friends—he whom every one liked once, for whom every one had a kindly word. His father is wealthy, and he has been starving; his sister is fading away, dying from a broken heart at his misery; and he has not a friend—not a friend but me, a poor helpless woman, baffled at

"And others, I dare say. Mr. Greville's attentions could not have been very marked however, since you tell me that he was engaged to you."

The color rose slowly in the lovely anxious face. Remembering his earnest injunction to tell him the truth, she hesitated for a moment, then said bravely—

"We were not engaged until Miss Neil was engaged to Mr. Rutledge."

"Ah!"

The monosyllable was full of meaning, for the questioner was keen enough to read on Sidney's face that there was something more to hear.

"Mr. Rutledge was a wealthy man?"—

"Yes, very wealthy."

"And the young lady preferred wealth. All this seems no doubt very trivial to you, Mrs. Daunt: but we are accustomed to the fact that trifles are most important. How soon after did you become engaged to Mr. Greville?"

"Immediately," murmured Sidney.

"And you accepted Mr. Greville, knowing that his heart belonged to Miss Neil?"

"He was very unhappy."

"And you, as an old friend, wished to console him?" he said, the tone in which he spoke taking the sting from his words.

"It was not that exactly," she murmured.

"Will you tell me how it was then?"

"Mr. Greville was very hurt and angry, and threatened to be revenged on Miss Neil or on her—lover, and when I tried to console him, he said, if I would accept him, he would forego his revenge."

"His revenge on Mr. Rutledge?"

"No," Sidney answered low.

"On Miss Neil?"

"No,"—in a lower voice. Then, looking up suddenly, she went on, "There was some mistake," she said bravely. "I did not understand that Miss Neil was engaged to Mr. Rutledge; I thought it was to some one else."

"To whom?"

The question was asked very quietly, without the least eagerness; but his calm exterior veiled strong excitement—her answer meant so much to the keen detective.

"To Mr. Stephen Daunt."

"Any relative of your husband's?"

"My husband," she said faintly.

"Was he then among the lady's admirers?"

"Yes, he admired her. Who could do otherwise? She was most beautiful," the girl said, with a sudden ring of pain in her voice.

"Ah, just so! But still the lady's desire for wealth was great enough to be the principal motive of her . . . and she preferred Mr. Rutledge's wealth. I presume it was greater than that of either of her other suitors."

"I suppose so, then—that is, unless Mr. Daunt had given consent to an engagement between Miss Neil and his son."

"Did Mr. Stephen Daunt seem to feel Mr. Rutledge's success as much as Mr. Greville?"

Sidney half rose in her passionate, almost unbearable pain. It seemed to rend her heart to speak of that time, so

"Yes," she said nervously. "I think it will be wiser not to come here again. I will meet you somewhere, if it is necessary that you should see me."

"One moment," he interposed, suddenly. "Are you a widow?"

She drew back slightly.

"No, certainly not," she said, hastily. "Why do you ask?"

"Your note desired that whoever was sent should ask for Mrs. Daunt. But pray proceed," he added, breaking off and leaning forward again, with his old appearance of attention.

"I think it is very likely that there will be no need for me to go into particulars," Sidney faltered rather nervously, raising her beautiful eyes to his with a pathetic look of entreaty. "You will know as much about it as I do myself—perhaps more—when I recall the matter to your memory; you have not forgotten—"

She paused for a moment; her lips were so dry and parched that speech was almost a difficulty then.

"You have not forgotten," she went on more firmly; "the—the—murder which took place here nearly two years ago?"

"The murder, madam?" he echoed, the interest deepening, although some surprise mingled with it at the unexpected word.

"Yes—a gentleman—Mr. Rutledge of Rutledge Hall—her voice had a sink almost to a whisper—"who was found in his library shot dead."

There was silence for some minutes in the library. The detective's head was leaning on his hand. Sidney was watching him closely.

"I remember perfectly," he said then, lifting his head. "The body was found in the morning by the servants, a gun by its side, bearing the initials of a gentleman in the neighborhood, who disappeared at the time in company with the murdered man's wife."

"Supposed to be in her company," Sidney murmured faintly.

"There was no proof that he was not."

"There was no proof that he was," she said, quickly.

The detective smiled.

"Was there not?" he said coolly. "Well, perhaps not; but it was a likely supposition. The lady was very much younger than her husband, I believe?"

"Yes."

"And very handsome?"—"Very handsome."

"And the gentleman with whom she fled, or with whom she is supposed to have fled, had been in love with her before her marriage?"

"He admired her very much."

"But was not in love with her?" Sidney made no answer.

"Am I to understand so?" he asked quietly.

"I am not likely to be able to judge," she answered, with some unwillingness, "because he was engaged to me at the time."

"Ah!"

Another momentary pause; then the detective leaned forward, putting his hand impressively on the table.

"Mrs. Daunt," he said gravely, "there is an old proverb which bids you tell your lawyer and your doctor the whole truth."

dying from a broken heart at his misery; and he has not a friend—not a friend but me, a poor helpless woman, baffled at every turn. Oh, do help us, do help us! You are so clever; you can prove his innocence; and we shall be grateful, so thankful!"

Her hand was on his arm now, the little trembling jewelled hand, and the beautiful impassioned face was raised to his in earnest entreaty. The keen stern face softened as he gently made her sit down.

"I will help you if I can," he said, and used as he was to scenes of distress and suffering, he felt his lip quiver as he heard her passionate, almost incoherent thanks.

"Thank me when I have proved your friend's innocence," he said. "If he is innocent, I will show his innocence to the world, Mrs. Daunt; do not fear. And now to business," he added, changing his tone to one of coolness. "How much of your time can you spare me now?"

She glanced at the clock; it was only five, and the dressing-bell would not ring before seven; but she did not want her absence from the drawing-room to be noticed. She was beginning to dread the young barrister's keen inquiring glances, and she almost wished that his visit would come to a close.

"Will an hour be sufficient?" she said timidly. "I dare not remain with you longer, lest my husband should suspect."

"Mr. Daunt is in the house then?"

"Oh, yes! But he is laid up from an accident in the hunting-field. We are safe from interruption."

"I wonder you were not afraid to receive me here?" he said, looking at her in some surprise.

"It was not very prudent, but I could not wait to be prudent," she answered faintly. "And I am my own mistress to a great extent. But I am afraid of incurring my husband's displeasure and arousing his suspicions; he has a firm belief in Mr. Greville's guilt. Will an hour suffice, Mr. Hopgood?"

"Half that time will be sufficient."

"Thank you," Sidney said timidly.

"The first question I wish to ask you is this, Mrs. Daunt. On what terms were you with Mrs. Rutledge?"

"I know her but slightly."

"Before her marriage or after?"

"Both before and after."

"Was she a resident at Ashford, then, before her marriage?"

"She lived at Lambswold."

"At Lambswold?" he repeated inquiringly. "Is that in this neighborhood?"

"It is Mr. Daunt's residence. She was governess there to his daughter."

"To your husband's daughter?"

"No," Sidney answered, with a faint smile at the thoughts—"to his sister."

"Ah, to his sister! She was a very beautiful person, I believe?"

"Yes, wonderfully beautiful."

"She was likely to have many admirers, I suppose?"

"Yes," Sidney answered slowly.

"Mr. Greville and Mr. Rutledge included?"

"Yes," was the faint reply from the parched pale lips. Sidney was beginning to dread the questions of the detective who sat opposite to her so keen-eyed and impassive.

Sidney half rose in her passionate, almost unbearable pain. It seemed to rend her heart to speak of that time, so full of misery and unrest, to recall her own anguish, her foolish mistake, her passionate useless rebellion against the trouble which had fallen upon her. More than once during the last few minutes she had reproached herself bitterly for ever having undertaken such a herculean task, but the recollection of Frank's misery, so much greater than anything she could conceive, she thought, gave her patience to endure.

"I do not know," she said, struggling desperately for calmness. "Mr. Stephen Daunt went away almost immediately after the engagement was announced, and remained abroad for several weeks."

"And, on his return, did he seem much as usual?"

Sidney hesitated, remembering the added gravity and gentleness of Stephen's manner, and the look on his face which seemed to say that he had seen trouble.

"He was quieter," she answered in a low voice.

"Did he visit at Rutledge Hall?"—"Oh, yes."

"Frequently?"

"I—I think so."

There was a little silence then. Sidney's visitor was bending over his notebook, glancing through it carelessly enough. Sidney sat trembling very much and dreading what he was going to say next; and so intense was her relief when he rose to go that she almost broke down in sobs.

"I need not trouble you any more," he said calmly. "I will bid you good evening Mrs. Daunt. You will hear from me shortly. No, don't ring; I can find my own way out."

Sidney felt as if a heavy load had been suddenly lifted from her heart as the door closed after him, and she drew a long sobbing breath of relief. For a few moments she stood still, then turned and moved towards the door.

As she passed into the hall, Lloyd Milner was standing there, looking grave and thoughtful, his face turned towards the hall door with a look of puzzled bewilderment. Sidney's heart seemed to stand still with fear in the terrible dread which struck her. Had he seen—had he recognised her visitor?

He turned to her as she came across the hall towards him.

"I am wondering where I have seen the man who has just gone out of the house," he said carelessly. "Is he a visitor of yours, Mrs. Daunt? His face seems so very familiar."

"Does it? He is my tailor," Sidney answered, with a perfect calm born of her great extremity.

"Your tailor! Indeed! Of course ladies have tailors nowadays. Then I suppose there is a chance likeness, for it is not by any means with a thimble and a goose that I associate him."

TO BE CONTINUED.

Instruction ends in the school-room, but education ends only in life. A child is given to the universe to educate.

There are few, very few, that will own themselves in a mistake, though all the world deem them to be in downright nonsense.

THE LATEST CHAMPION.

A Man Who Can Consume a Pound of Tobacco a Day.

We have seen says the *Adrian Times*, champion wrestlers, champion oarsmen, champion billiardists, champion ball-tossers, champion roller-skaters, champions of all sorts and sizes, and yesterday we saw the champion tobacco-chewer, Charles Coleman, of Coldwater, known in the locality where he resides as the "tobacco wonder," and we should judge him to be well deserving of the pseudonym. He is a pleasant-looking man of about 24, who bears his honors with a manly consciousness of being unapproached and unapproachable in his particular specialty.

He says he took his first chew of tobacco at the early age of 6 years, liked it from the first, and has continued to use it ever since. He is in the butter, egg, and poultry business, and some time since, when he used to travel around the country picking up the things he dealt in, he says his regular ration of tobacco was a pound a day. He has now got himself down to half a pound a day, and expects to reduce even that low ration. He says he had an easy victory here at the Moreland Brothers & Crane contest, where he masticated two pounds in two days, chewing three hours and a half each day. "Why," said he, with a touch of conscious pride, "I can easily beat anybody I have seen chew here. I can beat any two of them." He says he never experienced any trouble from using such a large quantity of tobacco, except a slight nervousness at times, which he easily controlled. He was examined by medical experts about a year ago, he said, and was told that he need have no fear of contagious disease—that his system was so full of nicotine the disease would have no show. Mr. Coleman says he is always good-natured, happy, and contented, and never cast down or discouraged. He is now the winner in three hard-chewed contests, and wore the medal, which is the insignia of victory, on the outside of his coat. But he says he has had enough of medals, and if he enters any more chews for a prize it must be cash. And he would like to engage in a six-day contest. "I can get backers for any amount," said he.

Such is fame.

A MASSACHUSETTS ROMANCE.

A Disowned Child Proven to be the Daughter of a Wealthy Lynn Manufacturer.

A story of a wealthy manufacturer of Lynn is told to-day which not only astonishes his friends, but which is the talk of all the Boston club rooms this evening. The man referred to, while a poor book-keeper ten years ago, married his present wife. While on their wedding tour a daughter was born. The fact was kept from the knowledge of friends and relatives, and the infant was by an agent placed in the care of a thrifty Irishman. For a year or two the child's expenses were paid by its parents. After that no more money was received, and the woman having charge of the child was unable to get any trace of its parents or relatives. The only clue she had was a handkerchief among the child's clothes bearing some

A JAPANESE RESTAURANT.

It has Been Opened in London at the Health Exhibition.

A Japanese restaurant has been opened at the health exhibition. One who has dined there writes: Lifting the little saucer-shaped lacquer cover from the soup, and taking advantage of the concession to European prejudices the commissioners have made in providing spoons, instead of obliging him to drink his soup like tea from the bowl, the adventurous diner-out will find that he has before him a savory compound called on the card misoshiru. This is made, as the root-word denotes, from miso, a fermented mixture of soy beans, wheat, and salt. Having disposed of this, he will then, if his appetite is good and his taste gastronomically catholic, attack with pleasurable surprise the many little plats on his tray. With these he will wisely play, turning for relief from the white sweetened haricot beans, mixed with kawatake (a kind of mushroom grown in the shadows of rocky bowlders), and the delicate lobster pudding or cold omelette and other trifles included under the head of kuchitori, to the hachimono, which may happen to be a piece of plump sole stewed in soy. Then for a change he may with the pair of wooden chop-sticks which are laid before him on a bamboo tray, divert himself with trying to pick out of a small china cup, made without a handle, the brown soy-coloured beans, and strips of kikurage, or ear shaped mushrooms. Boiled rice is served in a separate bowl. Another substantial dish, wamori, consists of meat or fish and vegetables, possibly, for instance, a piece of fresh salmon and a slice of vegetable marrow with pieces of soaked fu, a kind of biscuit made from the glutinous part of wheat flour. The gravy in which these pieces de resistance are floating is thickened with a transparent starchy substance, obtained from the root of a climbing plant (*pueraria thunbergiana*), called by the Japanese kuzu. For salad there are thin slices of cucumber flavored with scraped shreds of dried bonito, a fish much in favor on the Pacific coasts: the cucumber being dressed with vinegar and sugar, but without oil. One other relish must be noticed, the sliced root of the burdock salted and preserved in miso. A sweet kind of sake, described as Japanese wine, is the proper beverage at the meal which is prepared by cooks from Japan, and served just as it would be in a restaurant in Tokio and without any addition of European dishes.—*St. James Gazette*.

The Woodcock's Wooing

Woodcock have certain peculiarities which endear them to the sportsman, as well as make them an interesting study to men of science. Their love-making is essentially their own. Early in the spring the male bird, seeking a mate, repairs to some well-known covert where the females most do congregate. It is just at sunset. All the day long he has been industriously filling himself full of long, luscious worms, and as nightfall comes his bird thought turns to affairs more sentimental. When he reaches the paragon ground he looks anxiously around, and if no suspicious noise jars on his sensitive

SCIENTIFIC GOSSIP.

Dr. M. Bergsman comes to the conclusion that a mixed climate, with relatively mild Winter and warm, sunny Summers, is the best suited for the vegetation of the temperate zone.

The tonnage of the effective armored fleets of the leading naval powers of Europe is as follows: England, 320,520 tons; France, 201,789; Germany, 74,007; Austria, 63,110; Russia, 83,621, and Italy, 59,905.

The International Geological Congress, it is announced by Prof. John McKenny Hughes, of Cambridge, England, is postponed to September, 1885, in consequence of the outbreak of cholera in the South of Europe.

Mr. Twynam, of Winchester, England, asserts that a single grain of wheat has produced 39 ears containing in all 2,800 grains, and that three of the largest of the ears had respectively 104, 103, and 101 grains.

M. Lawroff says, in the *Bulletin* of the Paris Chemical Society, that in the action of metallic glucinum upon mercury dimethyl, we obtain a white, crystalline, volatile substance, which ignites on contact with water.

Consul E. L. Layard, writing from Noumea, does not consider a circular rainbow seen from a hilltop an unusual phenomenon. It depends, of course, on the position of the observer as regards the sun and his "cogn of vantage," namely, having a space below him. In such a situation he has seen one several times in his life.

An international exhibition of inventions and of musical instruments is to be opened in May, 1885, in the buildings now standing in the gardens of the Royal Horticultural Society at South Kensington, London. It is not proposed to allow space for manufactured goods unaccompanied by any illustrations of the process of manufacture.

Olzewski has employed air as a means for cooling purposes. He has obtained 6 c. c. in a liquid state and submitted it to evaporation at the pressure of one atmosphere, or even in a vacuum. In the latter case he has obtained a temperature so low as -205° centigrade. The temperature of nitrogen evaporating in a vacuum he supposes to be -213°.

Wood may acquire an oak, walnut, or cherry tree color by staining it with ordinary tincture of iodine diluted with spirit until the exact shade is obtained. White shellac must be added to the iodine solution if the stain is to be made permanent, or the wood after the stain is applied may be laid on with a rag or a brush.

Honigmann's locomotive is to be introduced in the St. Gothard Tunnel. It can be charged from a stationary boiler with steam and hot water sufficient to make the twenty minutes' journey through the tunnel without requiring any fire. It therefore does not vitiate the atmosphere with smoke. The exhaust team is taken up by an alkaline solution in a special chamber.

Manganese steel is very dense, tough, and hard. It does not require to be forced or rolled to impart strength to it.

having charge of the child was unable to get any trace of its parents or relatives. The only clue she had was a handkerchief among the child's clothes bearing some initials. She brought up the girl at her own expense, and she is now a very prepossessing young lady. Not long ago she became afflicted with an affection of the eye resembling a cataract. Her guardian took her to an oculist, who became much interested in the case and said that the only one he had ever seen like it was that of Mrs. Blank of Lynn. The Irish woman instantly noticed that the initials were the same as those on the treasured handkerchief. An investigation was begun, and it was ascertained that the poor bookkeeper had become the Lynn manufacturer, worth almost a million. When the facts were presented to him privately, he admitted them, and paid \$7,000 for his daughter's bringing up and agreed to allow her \$1,500 annually hereafter. The couple have other children, who do not know that they have an elder sister. In the belief that this whole story could be kept quiet, the disowned child is still unacknowledged. The facts as above outlined are becoming so widely known in private circles that it is probable that the names of all concerned will soon be published.

A Mother's Presence of Mind.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. William Kennedy, who lives on Fourth street, missed her four-year-old son Carl, and in a state of great anxiety made a search for him. Upon approaching the dwelling of Dave Williams she saw people pointing to her little son, who was hanging to a ladder on the windmill tank seventy or eighty feet from the ground. One little hand grasped the ladder, and with the other one he was reaching out to grasp some pigeons that were sitting almost within his reach. The mother realized the awful peril of her little son, but with a heroism seldom seen she called to the child in a firm voice saying, "Come down, Carl, and mamma will give you a peach." The little fellow looked cautiously around over his shoulder, and seeing his mother started to descend, while the group stood with faces upturned, blanched with terror for fear he would lose his hold and be dashed to pieces; but he came safely down, and as he approached the last rounds of the ladder he said, "I am coming, mamma," and the overjoyed mother caught her child in her arms.—[San Jose Herald.]

A Difference.

"What's a good remedy for cholera, doctor?" he asked of the family physician.

"Cleanliness and a proper regard for sanitary laws."

"How much is your charge?"

"About \$1.50."

He paid the money with the remark:

"You doctors will swindle a man out of house and home."

A little later he met another physician.

"I say, doctor," he remarked, "I wish you would suggest a preventive of cholera, I'm getting a little nervous."

The physician, who knew his man, replied:

"Plenty of good whisky."

"Thank you, doctor, how much is it?"

"Ten dollars."

"Cheap enough."

his bird thought turns to alights more sentimental. When he reaches the paragon ground he looks anxiously around, and if no suspicious noise jars on his sensitive ears he begins with a low introductory overture. Then he grows impatient and utters loud, guttural bleatings, clucking just before each one. Then he struts up and down the mossy bank as if his performance gave him intense satisfaction. Then he considers himself fairly introduced, and, taking wing, rises in the air, flying up in spiral circles, each growing smaller as he ascends. During this flight he utters a low, sweet, cooing note. After sailing about in a series of aerial somersaults, he swoops down to the spot of his starting. For hours he fools about, displaying his wing performances, until at last the female can no longer resist his antics, and throwing coquetry, as Hamlet did the physic, to the dogs, she approaches with ruffled feathers and dishevelled plumage. The two meet and caress each other with every evidence of affection and all the by-plays of love thrown in, and locking their long bills in each other's grasp, as if too happy for earth, they rise straight in the air and fly far out of sight in the darkness.

The Little Savage.

About the time when baby begins to put away monkey manners, and to stand on two feet like a man, he begins to show, in a very marked degree, the characteristics of savage tribes. For two or three years of this part of his life the best baby is a little savage. His ideas of property are intensely savage. He may be said to be always more or less "on the grab." (I object to slang as much as any man, but really there is no other way of describing the tendencies exhibited at this stage of baby's career.) If he has small brothers or sisters (or both), he is always more or less at war with these neighboring savages. If he is deprived of anything he has come to regard as his property (quite mistakenly, it may well be,) or if he sees in the hands of his small kinsfolk any goods or chattels which seem pleasing in his eyes, he has but one way of expressing his wishes; he goes for the possession of the desired object, using his hands as weapons if he has no others handy, but bringing down a stick or brush or book (as the case may be) on the head of his enemy with all the zeal of a Fijian or an Ojibbeway on the war-path. Girl babies are pretty nearly as bad as boy babies in these matters, only the girl savage differs from the boy savage as much as savage woman differs from savage man. Of course, there are many baby boys and baby girls who show little tendency to savagery, just as there have been many uncultured races of man who have been gentle and innocent. But the quiet babies are always weak and unhealthy. In the struggle for existence they succumb before their more ferocious brothers, just as the quiet and gentle savage tribes perish before their tomahawk-flourishing, spear-throwing, club-wielding neighbors.—[Belgravia.]

Whoever looks for a friend without imperfections will never find what he seeks. We love ourselves with all our faults, be they few or many, small or great, and we ought to love our friends in like manner.

Manganese steel is very dense, tough, and hard. It does not require to be forced or rolled to impart strength to it like most steel. It does not tarnish readily. A magnet does not attract it. When brought to a white heat and plunged in water it turns soft and not hard. Its castings have very few flaws. It is made by pouring from 10 to 12 per cent. of rich ferro-manganese into molten steel and mixing the two together before the alloy is run off into ingots.

A scientific journal reports that a composition of sand, cork, and lime molded into blocks is now on trial in Germany for building light partitions. It is said to have the advantage of excluding sounds better than ordinary brick work, while being light and a good non-conductor. But a composition of hard-wood sawdust applied on lath like common plaster is cheaper than the German method of constructing partitions, is much lighter, and has other desirable qualities.

At one of the August meetings of the Academy of Sciences, Paris, M. E. de Jonxieres made some remark on the volcanic debris collected on the east coast of the Island of Mayotte, at the north-west end of Madagascar. These fragments, which were cast ashore in considerable quantities on May 16, 1884, consisted of pumice, probably from Krakatoa. They appear to have traversed a distance of 3,840 nautical miles in 259 days, at a mean velocity of 14.8 miles a day.

A report submitted by Mr. Milne Home to the Royal Society, Edinburgh, states that at a period geologically recent in the earth's history an arctic climate prevailed in part of Northern Europe, and as an effect of this there occurred local glaciers in Scotland, leaving some of their traces still visible. Subsequently Scotland was entirely submerged beneath the sea, and most of the valleys were filled with sand, gravel, and mud. A northwesterly current prevailed, carrying masses of floating ice with boulders which were deposited on the hills.

The Men Who are Promoted.

The *Manufacturer's Gazette*, in a recent editorial, made the following statements, regarding young men and their advancement, which others than the class to whom it is addressed will do well to heed:

"The young men who receive promotion are the young men who do not drink on the sly. They are not the young men who are always at the front whenever there is any strike, nor are they the men who watch for the clock to strike twelve, and leave their picks hanging in the air. They are not the men who growl if they are required to attend to some duty a few minutes after the whistle has sounded. They are the men usually who pay the closest attention to the details of their business, who act as if they were trying to work for their employer's interest instead of to beat him at every crook and turn. They are the men who give the closest attention to every practical detail, and who look continually to see whether they can do any better or not. This class of men are never out of a job. They are scarce. They never strike, they never loaf, and they do not ask for their pay two or three weeks before pay day."

Death in the Alps.

Respecting the fate of Prof. Dreikorn, of Mannheim, who toward the end of August set out on a tour in Switzerland, and who soon afterward suddenly disappeared, nothing further could for some time be ascertained, in spite of an unintermittent search in the district where he was last seen. At length, however, the efforts made to trace him have led to the discovery of his body in a deep and lonely valley on the western side of the Widderstein. The deceased had started from Immenstadt for a pedestrian tour through the West-ethal, and thence by way of Schroecken, to the Bregenz forest and Lindau. It is believed that while going over the pass of Gentschel he was overtaken by a heavy fog which caused him to miss the way, branching off from the pass to Hohenkrumbach. He appears to have wandered in the direction of the Berggrund Alp to the western side of the Widderstein. The mountain here makes a precipitous descent, covered here and there with patches of grass and loose rock, and falling between six and seven hundred feet to the bottom of a narrow gorge over which flows the Berggrund torrent. On the edge of this abyss the hat and umbrella of the deceased professor were discovered. It is evident that while endeavoring in the thick mist to ascertain whether there was a pathway down the valley at this spot the unfortunate traveler missed his footing, and after slipping down a short grassy slope fell over the precipice from a height of over six hundred feet into the chasm below, where his mutilated and decaying corpse was finally discovered. This is the second fatal accident which has occurred to pedestrian tourists in the same district during the summer of the present year.—[London Standard.

Much Sleep.

The only rule is take enough. Old Mother Means in Eggleston's "Hoosier Schoolmaster" advised her husband when buying cheap land, "While yer a-gettin', get a-plenty." So say we in regard to sleep, a full quantity of which is more valuable than the grandest prairie farms the sun ever shone on.

It is during the wakeful hours that the muscles and the nervous system and brain expend their energies. Muscles are partially recruited during the day by nourishment taken, but the great recuperating work of the nerves and brain is done during sleep. Such recuperation must at least equal the expenditure made through the day or else the brain is ill-nourished, wastes, withers. Persons who, in early English history, were condemned to death by being prevented from sleeping, always died raving maniacs. Persons who are starved to death suffer brain starvation also, and pass into hallucinations and then into insanity.

Not Heeding Advice.

"I say, young man," said a physician, stopping him on the street, "you're not well. Your face is flushed, and you are in a high fever. Let me feel your pulse."

"I—I'm all right," protested the youth.

"No, you're not," said the physician positively, "Your pulse is over a hun-

MORSELS FOR SUNDAY CONTEMPORATION.

To know and not to have the ability to perform, is doubly unfortunate.

The one thing which most agitates the world is that dreadful question of suspense.

A child's questionings seriously answered supply the chief basis of that child's education.

Every man should examine his own genius, and advise with himself what is proposed to apply himself to.

There should be as little merit in loving a woman for her beauty as in loving a man for his prosperity; both being equally subject to change.

The only way for a rich man to be healthy is by exercise and abstinence, to live as if he was poor; which are esteemed the worst part of poverty.

A writer says: "How I hate a selfish woman. She occupies the whole atmosphere. She breathes up all the air; and leaves one gasping, for lack of breath."

It is next to impossible to make people understand their ignorance, for it requires knowledge to perceive it; and, therefore, he that can perceive it hath it not.

We should endeavor to purchase the good will of all men, and quarrel with no man needlessly; since any man's love may be useful, and every man's hatred is dangerous.

Do not think of knocking out another person's brains because he differs in opinion from you; it would be as rational to knock yourself in the head because you differ from yourself ten years ago.

It is not the lot of men to be perfectly happy in this world; the only thing which remains to us is to make the best of what we receive and obtain, being as comfortable and as happy as our circumstances allow.

Nothing so cements and holds together in union all the parts of the society as faith or credit; which can never be kept up, unless men are under some force or necessity of honestly paying what they owe to one another.

Nothing hinders the constant agreement of people who live together but vanity and selfishness. Let the spirit of humanity and benevolence prevail and discord and disagreement would be banished from the household.

The most natural beauty in the world is honesty and moral truth; for all beauty is truth; true features make the beauty of a face, and true proportions the beauty of architecture, as true measures that of harmony and music.

What a vast deal of time and ease that man gains who is not troubled with the spirit of impertinent curiosity about others who lets his neighbor's thoughts and behavior alone; who confines his inspections to himself, and cares chiefly for his own duty and conscience.

Keeness in a man is not always to be taken as a sign of capacity, for it is generally observed most in those who are selfish and overreaching; and his keenness generally ends in that kind of penetration into other people's interests which will

QUADRUPLE TRAGEDY IN NEBRASKA.

A Farmer, his Wife and Child and a Neighbor Found Murdered.

The Hon. W. G. Horne of Fullerton, in Nance county, brings the details of a quadruple tragedy thirteen miles west of that town. The victims are P. G. Percival, his wife and child, and Hugh Myers all English people. They were murdered on Monday night or early on Tuesday morning, and their bodies were not discovered until last night. Percival and his wife and child were shot and Myers was smothered. Percival was a well-to-do farmer and well known citizen of Nance county. Mrs. Percival was the daughter of the Rev. G. C. Tanner of Owatonna, Minn., County Superintendent of Schools. Yesterday morning Tom Miller, who had business with Percival, who lives at the head of Horse Creek, went to see him on Wednesday, and before he reached Percival's house he was told by some neighbors that Percival and his folks were not at home, as the house was shut up. Nevertheless, Miller went to the house and rapped on the door. He got no answer, and then returned home.

On Thursday night Miller again went to Percival's house to see if he had returned. He found the door fastened, and thereupon broke it open, thinking that perhaps something might be wrong. He was horrified to find Mrs. Percival dead in bed, she having been shot, and her child lying dead beside her. Mr. Percival was not to be found in the house but Miller soon discovered him lying dead near the hay stack, he, too, having been shot. His body was partly eaten by dogs and wolves. Hugh Myers, his former partner in the cattle business, who had been visiting him, was also found dead on the premises, he likewise having been murdered.

It seems that on Monday last Percival while in Fullerton with his wife and child and Mr. Myers, to do some trading and other business, had in his possession a check for \$1,000, which he deposited in a bank and drew \$500. The indications were that after putting up his team he was assaulted, killed, and robbed, after which the murderer or murderers went to the house and killed Mrs. Percival and child. It is said that Myers was choked to death or smothered in some way. Two neighbors who are missing are suspected to have been killed, and search is being made for their bodies. They were honest and trustworthy men, and it is not generally believed that they committed the deed, although some people suspect them unless their disappearance is satisfactorily explained. The general belief is that the murders were committed by one man, and that it was done for robbery.

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The Peculiarities of Dogs.

The fashion which cites the dog as a better species of human being, and depreciates men as if they were dogs gone wrong, is, as an English author calls it, "Unnatural History." Dogs, he says, are no better than men, and but for man would have been much worse than they are. They are very like men in their exhibition of the lower passions, such as anger, jealousy, fear and vanity.

A bull-terrier, for instance, used to express its anger in accordance with the human precept, "When the boys hits you, hit the post." If a beggar came to the door, the terrier was frantic. Being restrained from flying at the poor man, he would rush out, as soon as released, and attack the gardener. At other times the gardener and the terrier were excellent friends, but the dog, when angry, seemed influenced by the same nature as leads the husband to grumble at his wife's cap, because the morning news is disagreeable.

A dog was jealous of another pet. In the course of time, the pet died, was stuffed and placed in a glass case. Whenever the dog's attention was drawn to his stuffed rival gazing at him with glassy eyes, he always snarled.

A bull-terrier was a whimsical coward. He was ready to fight anything but an Indian-rubber cushion. When that was filled or emptied of air in his presence, he would go into paroxysms of hysterical screaming. The garden-hose filled him with such terror that he could never be coaxed into the garden when it was used, nor would he enter the room where it was kept.

An old setter once displayed such vanity that it was immediately seized upon to compel him to obedience. He would follow the members of the family, whenever they went out, no matter how troublesome his presence might be.

One day, the children tied a ribbon bow on the tip of the dog's tail. Everybody laughed at his comical appearance, which so mortified the poor setter that he retired under the sofa, and sulked for an hour. The next day the family were going to a croquet party, and the dog seemed bent on accompanying them.

It occurred to one of the young ladies to try the effect of a ribbon-bow. It was tied on his tail, and immediately he rushed into the house, and hid under the sofa. When they returned, he was on the doorstep, sitting on his haunches as if concealing something, and refrained even from wagging his tail, lest the hated bow should be seen.

A writer, illustrating the fact that the dog is one of man's noblest servants and one of his chiefest triumphs, says:

"In the beginning Allah created man, and seeing what a helpless creature he was, He gave him a dog. And He charged the dog that he should be the eyes and the ears, the understanding and the legs, of the man."

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Little girls are wearing very big hats—the littler the girl the bigger the hat.

kicked up they discovered a herd of buffaloes making at a mad pace for the river. The animals appeared to be well-nigh run down, but many of them were furious.

As they came to the bank of the Yellowstone they plunged in pell mell one on top of another, and for a time it looked as though many of them would be killed, but nearly all got out uninjured. They had hardly reached the other side when a yelling, swearing crowd of white men and Indians came up on foam-covered horses. They paused there long enough to get refreshments, and then resumed the chase.

There were four or five hundred buffaloes in the herd, and they were making for British America as fast as their legs would carry them. From the hunters it was learned that the hunt began down in Dakota, on the Cannon Ball river, where not less than five thousand of the animals were found grazing. A few of the men had followed the entire distance, but although the party that passed here numbered only thirty, its members estimated that from first to last three or four hundred men had taken part in the slaughter. Some of the men who started out with the original party had remained behind at various points to secure the hides and others, who only joined in for the sport, had dropped out after satisfying themselves with the chase. The rapidity with which these magnificent animals are slaughtered is shown by the fact that the hunters passing through here said they would have the hides of the remnant of the herd before reaching the boundary line.

Probably this is one of the last big buffalo hunts that will ever occur in this country. The Indian, now that he is assured of enough to eat at the agencies, is as reckless in his slaughter of the bison as the white man. He seems to consider the game as nearly extinct, and he goes in recklessly with the idea of having all the sport he can before the end is reached. The wanton destruction of this herd has caused great indignation throughout the entire section traversed, but as it seems to be the policy to exterminate the bison nothing will be done about it.

A Rooster Kills a Rat.

A Franklin square boy has a pair of pet bantams that are bringing up a brood of diminutive-looking chickens which would pass for young quails. In the yard where they stroll and feed, a rat occasionally makes his appearance, looking for something to eat. Recently a fresh-looking young rat, bent upon making a lunch off from one of the chickens, boldly attempted to seize and carry away one of the brood. The little white cockerel did not take the raid kindly, but jumped upon the rat's back, held him down, and pecked him to death. The only unnatural thing about the proceeding was his omission to crow over his victory.—[Norwich Bulletin.]

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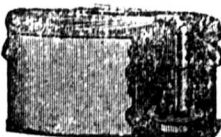
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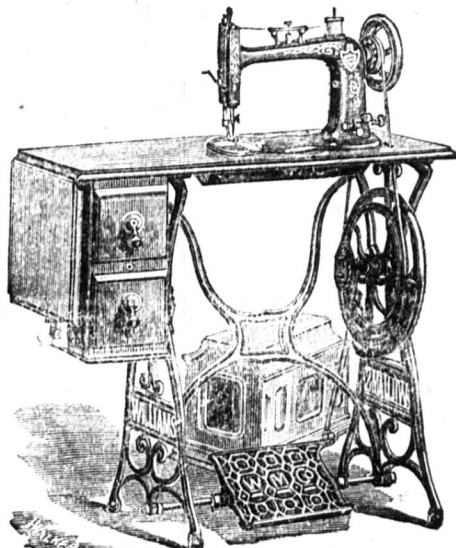
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—Messrs. Reid and Hall shot seventy-five ducks on Hay Bay on Monday. Good sport.

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—There was a slight fall of snow yesterday—the first of the season.

—A full stock of axes and cross-cut saws at R. G. Wright's.

—Young ladies' "At Home" in the Eastern church next Monday night.

—For a fashionable hat or cap cheap, go to Lahey's.

—The Revs. M. L. Pearson and J. P. Wilson exchange pulpits next Sunday

—Rev. Father Kelly has been appointed priest of the parish at Sharbot Lake and Harrowsmith.

—Lahey always keeps the newest goods and offers no ancient hate to his customers.

—A hunting party composed of Mr. Robt. McDonald, Napanee; Mr. C. Files, Newburgh, and Mr. Lasher, of Albany, N. Y., left for the north Monday morning.

—A large stock of white mica just received at R. G. Wright's.

—The steamer "Reindeer" was taken to Kingston on Monday for some repairs to her machinery and was off the route one day which caused considerable disappointment to passenger traffic.

—We have received a large variety of new patterns for stamping, C. F. Henderson.

—Argyll Lodge, I.O.O.F., expect to be able to take possession of their elegant new lodge rooms in the Leonard block about the 19th prox. They intend giving a grand concert in connection therewith.

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—The organ exhibited at the Amherst Island fair was not a "Karn" but a "Thomas" organ. Mr. W. D. Madden is the local agent, and Mr. A. T. Akroyd is his energetic solicitor of orders. The organ ranks at the head of the list.

—An interesting and well-contested match was played here on the 10th inst. between the Napanee and Deseronto cricket clubs, resulting in a victory for Napanee by four wickets and one run. The score stood 95 to 94 against Deseronto.

—The Miller-Pruyn hunting party returned on Saturday and Monday. They came in detachments and brought with them eight fine deer as evidence of their prowess in the chase. They report deer scarce and hunters plentiful. The doctor felled the larger number.

—Dr. Wray, has returned from his outing in the north and can now be consulted at his dental rooms, over Roblin & Ford's store. He returns greatly invigorated and better prepared than ever to do justice to his old patients and all those who may give him a call.

—The employees of the Gibbard furniture factory took a holiday yesterday and went on a hunting expedition. They divided themselves into gangs of ten each and it was agreed that the gang who captured the least number of birds should pay for the oyster supper for both parties. The party residing south of the canal won by a large majority.

—Mr. Montgomery requests us to state that owing to loss by fire and sickness in his family, he will be unable to continue his business here during the winter. He hopes, however, to be able to resume business by 1st April. Parties having goods at the dye works should call at once and receive them, as Mrs. Montgomery may not be at home at all times.

—From the list of officers of the English Church Union last week the name of Mr. J. S. Robinson was inadvertently omitted as vice-president of the dramatic section. This section, under the able management of Mr. Robinson, was last season the live wing of the organization and this year it will, no doubt, more than sustain its high reputation.

—Two or three minor cases were disposed of by Mr. Chas. James, J. P., this week. On Monday the owners of the steam yacht "Omota," of Belleville, were before him on a charge of using the vessel for unlawful fishing in Hay Bay on Sunday, the 5th inst. It was shown that the owners of the yacht were not the transgressors. The case was

The P. E. and P. A.

The Rev. M. L. Pearson will preach next Sunday evening on the purposes of the above association—the People's Rights and Protective Association—a society formed this week in Napanee to prevent the passage of the Scott Act. We are requested to state that strangers and all who drive in from the country will be accommodated with seats.

The N. T. & Q. Railway.

This road is now in fine running order and is doing an excellent business. The receipts for September far exceeded those of August, while October receipts are away up. Messrs. Chisholm & O'Brien, the contractors on the northern end, have been given a contract to raise the road bed through the drowned lands along the line fifteen inches, so as to prevent wash-outs in the spring. Everybody who travels over the line pronounces it one of the most complete on the continent. Superintendent Sherwood is proving himself a most efficient and obliging official, while his staff of conductors and brakemen are also popular with the travelling public.

Celebrating Her Hundredth Birthday.

A most interesting birthday party was held in Ernesttown, about about a mile and a half this side of Odessa on Monday last—the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of Mrs. D. C. Smith. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives and the old lady, who was in excellent health and spirits, was the recipient of the warmest congratulations. She was born near the Catskill Mountains, N.Y., and came to Ernesttown, which was then a wilderness, when quite young. She is the mother of nine children, six daughters and three sons. All of the daughters are living and one son. These were all present, besides scores of grand and great-grand children. The old lady looks to be good for several years yet. It may be of interest to state that she has smoked nearly all her lifetime and enjoys a pipe now as much as she ever did.

Ernesttown Court of Revision.

Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.

The final session of the Judge's Court of Revision for Ernesttown was held at Odessa on Monday last, Mr. J. C. Drewry appearing for the Reformers and Mr. W. G. Wilson for the Conservatives. Good work was done and the Reformers are justly proud of the result. A total gain of thirty-eight has been made in the township. As usual, the Reformers of Ernesttown have done themselves credit and deserve and have the thanks of their friends in the county. The assessor has been severely censured for the careless way (to put it mildly) in which he done his work. For example, one of the Burley boys, who has been in Dakota for over two years and who was struck off the list last year, was put on this year. The assessor certainly strained a good many points to "fix" things, and judging from the number of Booths wrongly inserted in the list, "Army" had something to do with the fixing.

Engagement Extraordinary.

The English Church Union of this town have engaged, through the Redpath Bureau of Boston, Miss Florence Marryatt, the celebrated authoress, actress and reader, of London, Eng., for an evening's entertainment in the Opera House on Tuesday evening, November 25th. Miss Marryatt is a daughter of Capt. Marryatt, the famous author, whose name is a household word the world over, and her own works have created for her a name which is scarcely less renowned. She arrives next week, and will open her American tour in Boston and will

—The Revs. M. L. Pearson and J. P. Wilson exchange pulpits next Sunday morning.

—Children's wool hoods, hats, jackets, dresses, skirts, mitts, gaiters, &c., at C. F. Henderson's.

—A meeting of the local hotel-keepers took place at the Huffman House Monday evening for the purpose of organizing for the Scott Act campaign.

—Don't fail to inspect R. G. Wright's stock of stoves before buying.

—A young man named Edward Arnold, a Kingston cattle buyer, is under arrest on a charge of criminal assault on a young woman named Margaret Ann Powley of Westbrook.

—You can get every variety of ladies' and children's underwear both merino and wool, also children's combination suits at C. F. Henderson's.

—The Rev. Dr. Sexton, one of the most eminent English divines, will preach in Napanee on Sabbath, November 2nd, and lecture on Monday night on the "Folly of Atheism."

—The Grand Trunk has discontinued the dining car service between Toronto and Kingston. In future passengers will have to take "pot luck" at the Cobourg refreshment rooms.

—The lightning express train on the G. T. R., yesterday ran into a freight at Point Claire, near Montreal. The driver of the express was killed, and the firemen and several others badly injured.

—You can get the largest variety of wool and cashmere hose of all sizes and at the right prices at C. F. Henderson's.

—Read Mr. John Blewett's advertisement in another column. This old and reliable house is better prepared than ever to give the best of value in flour, feed, groceries, fish, pork, etc. Give him a call.

—A subscriber in the far west writes:—THE EXPRESS is quite a treat and is anxiously looked for every week." There are hundreds of people nearer home who would also find it is a great treat if they would give it a trial. Only \$1 till 1st Jan., 1886.

—We are showing great bargains in ladies' and children's under skirts, knitted, felt and quilted, also the new stripe winsey skirts. C. F. Henderson.

—"Where is the watering cart?" was the frequent enquiry on Dundas-st., Monday morning. A miniature cyclone prevailed all day and pedestrians' eyes and ears were deluged with dust. It was the worst day of the year. The street committee had blundered in dispensing with the watering cart too early in the season.

—Furniture.—The best and cheapest furniture ever offered in this district is now offered by W. E. Baker, next door to the post office, Market Square.

—A special meeting of the Board of Education was called for Saturday evening last for the purpose of transacting business which should have been attended to at the regular meeting. There was no quorum, however, and consequently nothing was done. Those present were Messrs. A. L. Morden, W. F. Hall, J. Webster, A. McNeil, Jas. Perry and K. J. Strong, and the representative of THE EXPRESS.

—I saw a man that saw a saw that would outlast any saw you ever saw. He bought the saw and used the saw to saw his saw logs. If you want to see the saw saw go to the Golden Auger. H. W. Perry.

—The Secretary of State at Washington has requested Mr. W. S. Williams, U. S. Consul at Napanee, to make a collection of products and manufactures for the World's Exposition at New Orleans, which opens on Dec. 1st and closes 1st May. Full information will be given parties, who would like to exhibit, on application to Mr. Williams. The distance is so long and the magnitude of the exposition so great that it is not likely any person here will feel encouraged in making an exhibit.

was shown that the owners of the yacht were not the transgressors. The case was adjourned till Saturday when the guilty parties, it is believed, will be ascertained.

—Lindsay had a \$3,000 jewelry burglary on Sunday last. The facetious reporter wound up the account by stating that "intense excitement prevailed and a strict watch was placed in the banks, jewelry stores, newspaper offices and other places where large sums of money and other valuables were kept." It is suspected that there was as much as a twenty-five shin-plaster and a three-cent stamp in the safes of the newspaper offices.

—A lecture on "Our Insect Friends and Insect Foes; and their Habitations," will be delivered in the School-room of St. Mary Magdalene's Church on Wednesday evening next at 8 p.m., by Rev. Thos. W. Files, a distinguished member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. The lecture is very interesting and can be turned to profit by fruit growers and others. It is highly commended by the press of Montreal, where it has been delivered. Admission, 25 cents; children, 10 cents.

—Dr. Brown, formerly of this town, is erecting a brick building on Princess street, Kingston. A few days ago he engaged Messrs. Fred Schryver and Fox, both bricklayers of Napanee, to work on the building and made the former foreman of the works, and allowed them to do the fancy and light work on the building. The Kingstonians working on the building took offence at this and struck Monday morning. They said they were not going to work under a mason from a small town like Napanee. Messrs. Schryver and Newlands then took the contract and engaged a new gang of men and commenced work at noon. The Kingston "kickers" did not make anything by their little strike.

—Thirty hives of bees arrived in town per steamer "India" from Adolphustown on Tuesday and twenty on Wednesday. While en route on the steamer, some of the bees by some means gained their freedom and made matters pretty lively for the passengers for a time. They are the property of Messrs. Dorland & Membery of the Campbell House here and were taken to Mr. Allan Pringle's at Richmond, who will care for them on shares. On the way out, owing to the jolting of the waggon, the bees once more got loose and revenged themselves upon the gentleman in charge, Mr. Anderson, of the Campbell House. The Squire says he is pretty fond of honey, but, in harmony with the antiquated adage, he avers that any undue familiarity with them is not calculated to enhance his admiration for the insects.

—The directors of the Mechanics' Institute have engaged and fitted up rooms over Mr. W. D. Madden's book store, where the library and reading room is now located. The rooms are commodious and well adapted for the purpose. Entrance can be made through the book store or direct from Dundas Street by the stairway. The librarian is Mr. W. S. Busby who will make a most efficient and obliging officer. A meeting was held in the rooms Wednesday night at which the evening classes were arranged. The class for drawing and geography will be conducted by Mr. F. F. Miller, C. E., on Monday evenings; that for book-keeping and business correspondence by Mr. J. B. McGuin, on Wednesday evenings; and arithmetic and mensuration, by Mr. Bowerman, on Friday evenings. The classes will open next week. As the tuition is free we trust the young mechanics of the town will become members of the Institute and avail themselves of the advantages of the classes. The re-organized institute promises to do a good work.

owned. She arrives next week, and will open her American tour in Boston and will next visit Montreal and other eastern Canadian cities, after which she will proceed west to Toronto and London, taking in the important towns and cities en route. The members of the Union have assumed a great risk in securing so great a treat for the people of this section and their enterprise should be rewarded by a large audience. The following are a few of the many flattering press notices Miss Maryatt has received from the leading journals of England:—

Miss Maryatt at once appeals to the sympathy of her audience, and exhibits great dramatic and elocutionary power.—London Morning Post.

Florence Maryatt has a commanding presence and a fine voice, is perfectly self-possessed, and her elocutionary and dramatic ability is of a very high order.—London Graphic.

"Love Letters" is a most amusing production and was greatly enjoyed by the audience. Remarkably humorous, it kept the audience for the greater part of the time convulsed with laughter. Miss Maryatt has a remarkably fine voice.—Liverpool Daily Post.

Amusement Notes.

—Prof. McDonald closed his dancing school last evening with an assembly. He goes to Montreal where he will organize classes in the Queen's Hall during the winter.

—"Only a Farmer's Daughter" attracted a large audience at high prices to the Opera House, Tuesday night. The play itself is below mediocrity, but the company made as much of it as was possible. Miss Lillian Lewis presents a fine appearance, has an excellent voice and good forensic talent. The entertainment was on the whole disappointing.

—Baker and Farron appear in the Opera House Saturday evening in "The Emigrants." These inimitable comedians are sure to draw a large audience and to send everyone away delighted. The plan is now open at J. J. Perry's drug store.

—Mr. Ragan will this evening give his popular lecture on "Paris, the Beautiful," in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute. The lecture will be illustrated with magnificent views. Mr. Ragan's tours are of a high literary and artistic character and should be well patronized.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. S. Stevens.

It is with deep regret we would record the death of Mrs. S. Stevens, a brief notice of whose decease appeared in the columns of our last week's issue. Mrs. Stevens had for a number of years past resided with her mother, the late Mrs. Briggs, of South Napanee, and during that time had been a devout member of the Eastern Methodist church and a teacher in the Sunday School until unable, from illness, to continue her labors. The large number present on Wednesday last, the interesting nature of the funeral services and the beautiful floral decorations of the church served to show the esteem and affection in which the deceased lady was held. One son and two daughters mourn the loss of a most affectionate mother.

The Late Mrs. McGillivray.

Yesterday morning, Nancy, relict of the late Wm. McGillivray, Esq., died at her residence after an illness of several months. The deceased lady was an old resident and highly esteemed. Her only child was Mrs. William Miller of this town, who survives her. The funeral takes place this afternoon at two o'clock.

No Matter.

No matter where pain, lameness or soreness exists, Haggard's Yellow Oil taken or applied will give immediate relief, and a positive cure quickly follows its use.

THE CAMPBELL HOUSE.

Our Representative Pays a Visit to this Hostelry and Inspects the Additional Accommodation for guests—Superb Appointments—Elegance and Comfort.

Since taking possession of the Campbell House on the 1st of August last, Messrs. Allison, Dorland & Mentry have shown a commendable spirit of enterprise in the determination to keep a house superior to any that can be found in any other town of similar size in the province, and thanks to the energy and outlay on the part of Mr. A. McNeil, the owner of the building, they have been enabled to present to the exceedingly numerous and increasing travelling public a house which is a credit at once to the town, the hosts and the owner.

Learning that work on the additions to the hotel had been almost completed and that soon everything would be in readiness for the reception of guests in the recently erected portion, our representative stepped into the Campbell House on Wednesday and was most courteously shown through the entire building by Mr. Allison, the senior partner. On the ground floor of the west wing we came first to the elegantly fitted barber shop, run in connection with the house by Mr. Lester A. Scott. Everything in this shop is new, the seats being of the most modern and unique design, and the chairs in which the subjects of the facial operations are handled with such ambidexterous facility are easy and comfortable. From this excellent tonsorial parlor a door opens into a wash-room, furnished with three bowls of the best material and supplied with water from a tank on the roof. From hence we entered a spacious room intended to be used as a private reading-room for guests. Near here also are the closets which are fitted up well, and near them is a force-pump, which supplies water to the tank on the roof from a large cistern in the basement. Passing out of the reading-room and along a hall we enter the billiard room. This apartment is 26 x 46 feet, with a ceiling 16 feet high, and is lighted by two large plate-glass windows. It is intended to place four first-class tables in this room for the use of devotees of the game. In the north wing are eight large well-lighted sample-rooms—a boon which will be highly appreciated by the many commercial travellers who stay at the Campbell House while in town.

The number of rooms is now in all 44,—22 being in the old part and 22 in the new. The latter are being supplied with fine new walnut furniture from the factory of Messrs. Gibbard & Son, and are well carpeted, over 1,000 yards of new and excellent carpets being utilized, aside from a large quantity of oil-cloth in the halls and closets, and are lighted by gas. In every room is a bell connecting with the office, while in the hall on the first flat is a speaking-tube which is connected with the bar-room, in order that "medicine" and other requisites may be the more conveniently ordered and more expeditiously obtained. At the three arches in the halls of each of the flats are iron, fire-proof doors, which are calculated in case of fire to confine the consuming element to the immediate section in which it originates and thus save an immense amount of property and probably life from the ravages of a conflagration which would otherwise ensue. On the first flat, too, are closets and a well-appointed bath-room. In the southwest corner, also, is a private parlor for guests, which is furnished in keeping with the rest of the house, and is supplied with a fine piano.

The house is now one of the best that can be found in any town in the Province, and is well worth the extensive patronage it

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A FACT.

be found in any town in the province, and is well worthy the extensive patronage it receives. It is connected by telephone with the central office, and parties staying there may by this means communicate with the principal business houses of the town. Taken all in all, the house might well be termed first-class in every particular, and is one of which Napanee can justly be proud.

Personals.

—Mrs. J. C. Drewry was in Picton last week.
—Mr. William Blair, typist, left last week for Oswego.

—Mr. Ben. VanAlstine and wife were in Picton last week.

—The two Misses Jackson, of Gananoque, are visiting at Mrs. Vrooman's.

—Lady Macdonald and Col. Bernard visited Kingston on Saturday last.

—W. S. Williams, Esq., returned on Monday from a visit to Grand Rapids, Mich.

—Miss Helen Allen has been visiting friends in Westbrook this week.

—Miss Mills spent last week visiting friends in Kingston.

—Miss Strachan of Kingston, was a guest of Mrs. John H. Stevenson this week.

—Mr. Alex. Allingham, of Watertown, N. Y., spent a few days in town this week.

—Miss Baker, who has been visiting at Dr. Cook's, returned to her home near Cornwall, on Friday last.

—R. M. Rose, Esq., of Kingston, was in town last week on a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. Wm. Ferguson.

—Mr. Fred Blakely, late at Spanish River, on the Canadian Pacific Railway survey, returned home this week.

—Mrs. Allison, wife of Mr. William Allison, station agent at Parkdale, on the Credit Valley road, was visiting at Mr. Garret VanAlstine's this week.

—Dr. Harvey, who has been in charge of Dr. Wray's dental rooms during the latter's absence in the north of the county, left Wednesday for his home in London, Ont.

—The Whig of Tuesday says:—To-morrow Prof. McDonald, wife and family, leave for Montreal. He is very much fascinated with Kingston and its citizens and will return in April.

—Mr. Arch McKim, who has been for some time in Detroit, Mich., visiting his son-in-law, Mr. B. F. Lewis, has returned, we are pleased to learn, greatly improved in health. He is spending a few days in town with friends.

—Mr. D. L. Ryan, a former resident of Napanee, in renewing his subscription to THE EXPRESS, states that he is doing a flourishing business as contractor, in Bay City. He has this summer erected eight dwellings and is now engaged on a store and dwelling.

—Mrs. and Miss Mackie of the Dominion House, Belleville, were at the Campbell House, on Wednesday. They made a very large purchase of carpets during the afternoon, the total amount of which, we understand, reached over \$100. This circumstance speaks volumes for Napanee as a purchasing point.

—Mr. E. P. Williams has entered the law office of Messrs. Williams & Wilson and will devote himself specially to the insurance and money loaning business of the firm. He is a young man of excellent business attainments and we have much pleasure in wishing him every success.

—An elastic step, buoyant spirits, and clear complexions, are among the many results of pure blood. The possessor of healthy blood has his faculties at command, and enjoys a clear and quick perception, which is impossible when the blood is heavy and sluggish with impurities. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier and vitalizer known.

—Though numerous causes may operate to turn the hair gray, all that is needed to restore the natural color is Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. For more than twenty years its sales have been enormous, but we have yet to learn of its first failure.

—Brighton and Trenton were visited last week by Hon. Messrs. Bowell, Caron, McLennan, Costigan and Carling and Mr. Thos. White, M. P., with a view of inspecting the Murray Canal. On Tuesday the corner stone of one of the piers was laid by Mr. Bowell, when the usual speeches followed.

—John Smith, a well-to-do farmer, living outside Deseronto, has been arrested for forgery. In 1876 he forged a note on his brother for \$600. His brother issued a warrant and placed it in the hands of the constable at Shannonville, who telegraphed Constable Gunyon, of Deseronto, and the latter arrested him last night. He has been taken to Shannonville.

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Oatmeal by the barrel or pound; fresh ground Corn-meal in large quantities, and a full line of FEED, such as Bran, Western Shorts, Cracked Oats, Cracked Feed, Screenings, Cracked Peas and Cracked Wheat at bottom prices.

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Every person wanting Boots should avail themselves of this opportunity of getting them cheap. An immense stock to choose from and 20 per cent cheaper than ever before.

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CHILDREN'S MANTLES.—First lot completely sold out and a fresh stock received which we are offering cheap. Do not miss seeing these goods before buying. Mantles or Mantle Cloths for children.

GENTLEMEN'S UNDERCLOTHING.—Two more cases of our cheap all wool line received this week. These goods are the cheapest in the market and are selling rapidly.

SPECIAL DRIVE IN DRESS GOODS.—We have secured a big bargain in a line of colored dress goods which we bought at 50 cents on the dollar. These goods are offered as long as they last at 12 1-2 cents per yard. Full range of colors: Grenats, Bronzes, Browns, Navies, Myrtles, etc.

LACE CURTAINS.—We also offer some special bargains in Lace Curtains bought at greatly reduced prices.

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